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BRITISH RESPOND TO HAIG'S APPEAL

LDING GRIMLY AGAINST LATEST ERMAN ATTACKS

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WASHINGTON, April 13.—ile meager reports from the tle front in Flanders today inted that the British army was alty responding to the appeal its commander, and holding mly against renewed German aults, officers here discussed probable motives of Field rshal Haig in issuing the call his forces to fight to the last n.

The purpose of the order was riously construed. Some hailed as forecasting the counter- ofsive by the united allied ied armies. Others were disieted.

The war department was without information that would ow much light on the battle uation. Officers who have lowed the progress of the ht from hour to hour in press lletins however, were very timistic. They saw no reason doubt that reserves in sufficnt numbers to warrant a unter offensive were available hind the fighting front and they so noted with satisfaction Genal' Haig's announcement that ench reinforcements were ming up. In the view of some eers, the German front as it w stands places the Germans jeopardy in two places. The de salient driven toward miens appears to them susptible of frank assault by the rench from the south and southest, while in Flanders the narw salient driven into the Britsh lines leaves the teutonic anks exposed. There are many asons, it is said to anticipate at any French counter stroke, esigned to take pressure off the ritish front in Flanders may be elivered south and east of Kontdidier. For this reason delopments at Hangard, gallantly gained by the French today, re being followed closely.

The participation of American oops with the French in vigorusly repelling German assaults as eported by the French official tatement, was welcomed by offiers here. They saw in the reort evidence that the men have ll the dash and enterprise exected of them and are coming nto action like veterans. Intimaions from neutral sources that ermany has been preparing for naval offensive as contained in ress reports, reaching this country, already have come to the avy department in a more offial way. Mobilization of naval fficers however, were in doubt s to the extent to which these eports are to be credtied. They are not certain that the news as not put out by the Germans hemselves.

In some quarters the sudden rop in submarine sinkings last week lent color to the possibility of a German naval drive to supplement the land operations, the explanation being that the submarines had ben called in to prepare for co-ordination with the fleet

DON'T BUY GERMAN DRUGS.

Messrs. Coover and Shreve have received a copy of the North American Retail Druggist which contains a strong article warning druggists to cease buying German manufactured drugs. It says the goods are being smuggled into the country and bought by U. S. druggists, thus helping furnish the sinews of war to the men who are fighting our country.

TOWNSHIP ELECTION

The annual election of trustees of township 15-10 was held Saturday at the court house. The hold-over trustees are W. A. Crawley and C. E. James and J. W. Walton was elected Saturday. At a meeting of the board Edward M. Dunlap was re-elected to the position of township treasurer and various other business matters were given attention.

NO JOB FOR A DECENT DEVIL

Sioux City, Ia., April 13.—John W. Norris, professional impersonator of the "Devil" today refused to act the part of the kaiser in the honor flag raising pageant which Sioux City, as the first city over the top in the liberty loan drive will stage on April 19. The funeral of the kaiser will be a feature section. Norris in declining the role of the kaiser, said:

"That's no job for a decent devil."

W. H. STEAD WAS FIANCE OF HELEN BROWN READ

Former Attorney General's Engagement to Mrs. Read Was to Have Been Announced at Early Date—Letter to Governor Lowden Indicated He Had Been Nervous Wreck for Past Six Months.

News of the death by suicide of W. H. Stead, former attorney general, in a Chicago hotel Saturday came as a great shock to many in this city, not only because of many personal friendships he had in Jacksonville, but because of the fact that he was engaged to Mrs. Helen Brown Read, the well known local singer.

To a Journal representative Saturday evening, Mrs. Read said:

"It is true that Mr. Stead and I were engaged. We had expected to make an announcement at an early date. For some time Mr. Stead had been in poor health and this had delayed the announcement.

"The last time I saw him he was in an unusually happy frame of mind. However, he brooded over his health and the fact that he feared that he was gradually growing worse undoubtedly caused a nervous breakdown."

Mrs. Read spoke of Mr. Stead's high type of manhood and said that she was as yet unable to reconcile herself to the terrible facts.

Chicago, April 13—W. H. Stead former attorney general of Illinois was found in his room in a local hotel today dead from a bullet wound in the head.

From the position of the body it is believed that Mr. Stead stood in front of a large mirror when he fired. The weapon, a 32 calibre pistol, was found nearby. There was a sealed letter addressed to his brother James. It was not opened by the police who turned it over to the coroner.

James R. Stead, a brother, of Chicago, said that he was unable to ascribe a reason for the suicide. Mr. Sead's wife died 18 months ago and friends said he had been greatly depressed since. He was worried also about his eyes which had been troubling him for years.

Told of Depression

Springfield, Ill., April 13.—The suicide today in a Chicago hotel of William H. Stead, director of the state department of trade and commerce, was the climax of a six months' fight on the part of the former attorney general against self-destruction, it was indicated in a statement made public here tonight by Governor Lowden in which a letter, received this morning from Mr. Stead was quoted.

Indicative of this fact the following excerpt from the department chief's letter was made public:

"I have not slept any to speak of for two or three nights and am feeling rocky, to put it mildly. I have stayed in my room all day. I will try and get at the business (about which he had talked with the governor) in the morning. The truth is that I have been a nervous wreck most of the time for the past six months. At times I have been so depressed and despondent that I have had to fight every waking moment to keep myself together. There is no reason for it either, but that does not help it any. I had a siege several years ago and it lasted for two years."

Commenting on the letter, Governor Lowden said:

"It is now evident that the fight he had made for six months was against the very thing that happened this morning." He continued:

"William H. Stead was one of the finest and best men I have ever known. He was a lawyer of great ability, an accomplished orator, a man of great poise and judgment—in fact one of the great men of Illinois."

The work of administering the department, until a successor to Mr. Stead is appointed by Governor Lowden, will devolve upon James S. Baldwin of Decatur, assistant director.

Letter to Brother

Mr. Stead's letter to his brother, as given out at the home of the latter said that he was feeling depressed and had not slept for three nights. He spoke of going to his summer home near Alexandria, Minn., and then again of "taking a long vacation."

"If anything should happen to me I have made disposition of my property," he wrote. His estate is said to be worth about forty thousand dollars.

Springfield, Ill., April 13.—Mr. Stead was born in LaSalle county June 12, 1858, and spent most of his boyhood on the farm. He was a graduate of what is now DePauw university at Greencastle, Ind., and was admitted to the bar in Illinois in 1883.

Until 1904 he practiced law at Ottawa, Ill., when he became assistant attorney for the Rock Island railroad company. He served as city attorney of Ottawa for two years and as state's attorney of LaSalle county for four years.

From 1905 to 1913 he was attorney general of Illinois. At the end of this term he resumed practice of law, and continued in this until named a department head by Governor Lowden.

OFFICIAL STATEMENTS

GERMAN

Berlin, April 13.—Via London—The official statement from general headquarters today says:

"On the battlefield of the Lys our attack against English divisions, which had been brought up as quickly as possible in motor cars and by railway made good progress. From the heights of Messines we pushed forward across the Steenbeek river and reached the eastern border of Wulverghem.

Troops which had advanced to the south of Ploegsteert wood swung around towards the north in a rapid and independent action under Lieutenant Col. Pollman and took the fortified heights of Rossignol by storm and joined hands with a detachment, which had advanced to the north along the wood.

"The strongly wired wood, which would have been difficult to capture by means of a frontal attack, fell thru being surrounded.

"Between the railways leading from Armentieres to Bailleul and Merville we carried our attack forward as far as the railway leading from Bailleul to Merres and as far as the eastern border of Niepp wood.

"To the south of Merville, our troops captured the Clarence river and after having taken Locon by storm reached LaBassee caanl to the northwest of Bethune.

"On the battle front on both sides of the Somme lively artillery duels continue in many sectors. Local advances of our infantry on both sides of the Luce resulted in the bringing in of 400 prisoners, French and English."

FRENCH

PARIS, April 13.—French troops in an attack today northwest of Orvilles-Sorel made an advance of several hundred meters along a front of about two thirds of a mile, according to the war office announcement tonight. A German attack in the Noyon sector was repulsed with heavy losses to the enemy.

The text reads:

"West of Lassigny our troops delivered an attack against the wood northwest of Orvillers-Sorel. On a front of about 1,200 meters we made an advance several hundred meters in depth and took a number of prisoners.

"In the Noyon sector special storming troops, who launched an attack against our positions were caught under our fire before being able to reach our lines and suffered a sanguinary check. On April 12 our airplanes displayed great activity along the whole front, particularly in the regions of the Somme and the Oise. Eight enemy airplanes were brought down; twenty three other fell within their own lines seriously damaged. Five enemy captive balloons were set on fire; five others pierced by bullets were obliged to drop precipitately to the earth.

"Our bombing machines likewise carried out demonstrations. In the day of April 12 and the night of April 12-13, a total of 48,000 kilos of projectiles was dropped in the railway stations of Jussy, Roye, St. Quentin, Nesle, Ham, Guiscard and Noyon, railway cantonments and numerous convoys in these regions as well as the stations at Hirson, Laon and Montcornet."

BRITISH

LONDON, April 13.—The Germans were driven out of Neuve Eglise by the British this morning, according to the report from Field Marshal Haig's headquarters tonight. Four attacks against the British positions southeast of Bailleul also were beaten off.

The text of the statement reads:

'As a result of the fighting last night in the neighborhood of Neuve Englise, the enemy succeeded after a prolonged struggle in forcing his way into the village. This morning he was vigorously counter-attacked by our troops and driven out, leaving a number of prisoners, including a batallion commander in our hands.

"An attack attempted by the enemy south of Meteren was successfully driven back and four attacks launched against our positions southeast of Bailleul were beaten off.

"Heavy casualties were inflicted on the enemy in these several unsuccessful attacks."

"This afternoon another hostile attack in strength has developed between the Materen-Becque river, southwest of Materen, and Wulverghem. Severe fighting has taken place on the whole of this front.

"On other parts of the British front the day passed without any incident of importance."

PUNISHED FOR MAKING DISLOYAL REMARKS.

Grand Junction, Colo., April 13.—Dr. E. C. Cole, superintendent of the school at Appleton, near here was taken from his home last night by three men who applied a coat of grease and feathers and warned him to leave the community. Dr. Cole is widely known in Colorado educational circles. He is alleged to have made a pro-German talk in chapel.

ALEXANDER FARMER DIES AT PASSAVANT

Irvin Robbins Passes Away Saturday Evening After Grief Illness from Blood Poisoning—Other Alexander News.

Alexander, April 13.—Irvin Robbins of near Alexander died at Passavant hospital Saturday evening about 8:30 o'clock. Mr. Robbins, a farmer residing on the J. Frank Strawn farm north of here, had the misfortune about a week or ten days ago of inflicting a slight wound on the left hand. He did not complain much of it at the time and it was probably caused by a barbed wire scratch or something of the kind, and was considered of a trivial nature. A few days ago, however, the hand became more painful and medical attention was given by Dr. Metcalf of Franklin. Friday Mr. Robbins' condition became alarming and Dr. J. W. Hairgrove was called and advised that Mr. Robbins be brought to Jacksonville to Passavant hospital. It was then discovered that blood poison had set and that there was little chance of recovery. Following the attack of blood poison an abscess formed under the left arm and went inwardly. Every effort was made to save the unfortunate man's life but to no avail.

The deceased is survived by the widow and eight children, Eula, Edwin, Irvin, Hohman, Shella, Sallie, Owen and Evaline; by his parents, Macajah and Mary Robbins of Hardinsburg, Ky.; one brother, Mike Robbins of Alexis, Ill.; three sisters, Mrs. Mamie Hawkins of Memphis, Tenn.; Mrs. Sallie Hickerson of Sample, Ky., and Mrs. Clora Bell of Mattoon. Deceased was forty nine years of age. He came to this vicinity about four years ago and has made Illinois his home since that time.

No arrangements have been made for the funeral.

News Notes

Mrs. Martin Hohman, Jr., is a patient at Our Savior's hospital in Jacksonville.

Samuel Dewees was taken to Passavant hospital in Jacksonville Saturday.

Mrs. Silas Moats and grandson, Wesley Morgan, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Moats' sister, Mrs. Nan Murvin at Danville.

Miss Lucille Mason of Jacksonville expects to spend Sunday with her parents at Alexander.

Mrs. L. C. Luby of east of here left this morning to visit her sister, Mrs. Stephens at Bowling Green, Mo.

Among those from Alexander shopping in Jacksonville today were Mrs. W. E. Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Watret, Mrs. E. E. Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Hartman Zellar, Mrs. Barbara Ludwig, John Kumle, Mrs. W. J. Kumle, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Strawn and Miss Amenda Strube of Alexander expect to spend Sunday with friends at New Berlin.

T. E. Cockin expects to spend Sunday with friends at Jacksonville.

DRUNKEN SOLDIERS HELD AT WAVERLY

Leap from Troop Train Saturday Morning in Intoxicated Condition.

Springfield, Ill., April 13.—United States Marshal V. Y. Dahlman, received word today from Waverly, Ill., that two United States soldiers who leaped from a train there early this morning were being held by local authorities.

The men were said to have given their names as E. A. Crause and Thomas D. Davis and their military unit as Company I, 139th Infantry. Both were intoxicated. it was said, the liquor having been obtained, they declared at Kansas City. The soldiers were anxious to join their regiment.

WHISKERS.

Wisconsin Professor Asserts Russian Facial Foliage Should be Made into Mattresses.

Chicago, April 13.—Prof. A. E. Ross of the University of Wisconsin who recently returned from Petrograd where he was sent by the American Institute of Social Service to report on conditions there, declared in an address today that women in Russia are freer than their sisters in America and have led the men in the present crisis.

"If about 300,000,000 yards of whiskers were clipped off in Russia and put in mattresses where they belong there would be less unrest there," he said.

DAYLIGHT SAVING IN CANADA

Ottawa, Ont., April 13.—The Canadian daylight saving measure will go into effect at 12 o'clock next Sunday morning, it was announced today. It will remain in effect until 2 a. m., Oct. 31.

PETROLEUM ADVANCED.

NEW YORK, April 13.—The Standard Oil company of New York today announced an advance of 40 points in refined petroleum in barrels for exports, making the price 13.30 per gallon.

YANKS WIN FIRST ALL DAY FIGHT

U. S. Troops Repulse 2 German Attacks with Heavy Casualties to Enemy—The Losses to American Forces Slight.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY in France, April 13.—By The Associated Press.—Yesterday's battle was the first all day struggle in which the American troops have been engaged. Two German attacks, which were delivered in force against the American positions northwest of Toul were repulsed with heavy casualties to the enemy, including thirty six prisoners left in the hands of the Americans. The American losses were slight.

The fighting began with one of the most violent bombardments ever laid down in that sector. During Thursday night the Germans kept up a harassing fire, throwing many gas shells into the American position. The first attack began at about six o'clock in the morning and was directed against the French troops on the left flank of the America forces in the forest of Apremont.

While this was going on the American forces made a counter-attack on the German line moving forward behind a perfect curtain of fire. The enemy driven out of his trenches was forced to fight in the open.

A deadly machine gun and automatic rifle fire was poured into the enemy who offered stubborn resistance at first but later retreated to their second line hotly pursued by the American troops. Desultory fighting continued for several hours. The Germans again attacked at 11 o'clock at a point further to the right. The American barrage fire cut them off, but the German officers drove their men thru the exploding shells until a few succeeded in penetrating the American front line. A counter-attack which was immediately launched by the Americans ejected the enemy, driving him back to his positions. The struggle continued to sway back and forth for several hours.

While the action was at its height the commander of an American machine gun unit reported to his chief that all the machine gun emplacements had been shot away but that "every gun is working like hell."

The attacks were made by the reorganized remnant of 800 shock troops who failed to reach the American positions in their gigantic raid on Wednesday. Their ranks were filled out by picked men from other units. The German prisoners ,who belonged to six different organizations said that the attack was ordered to avenge the crushing defeat administered to the enemy on Wednesday. Five of the prisoners were Uhlans ,and all of the men taken were carrying haversacks well filled, as if in preparation for a protracted stay in the American trenches, corroborating the stories told by prisoners taken on Wednesday who said that the Germans had been ordered to penetrate the American third line at all costs.

The American troops altho tired from nearly six days of infantry activity went into their positions singing and expressing their pleasure at an opportunity to fight in the open in preference to what they term "sewer fighting."

The residents of villages behind the lines saw the Americans moving forward and shouted words of encouragement to the truck loads of smiling men, who waved their caps and cheered heartily. French officers have again praised the remarkable fighting qualities and the courage of the American infantrymen and the splendid co-operation shown by the American artillery. Some units of the artillery were forced for long periods to work in gas masks.

An artillery duel which was resumed last night continued with little interruption until late this morning.

WILL BE INTERNED.

Chicago, April 13.—A special train on the Big Four, carrying 32 enemy aliens who are to be interned for the duration of the war and a military guard left here today for Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

INCREASE IN STORAGE HOLDINGS.

Washington, April 13.—Increase in storage holdings of dairy products, eggs and frozen and cured meats of all classes was shown today in the department of agricultures summary of its canvass on April 1 comparing the stocks with those of that date a year ago.

WINCHESTER RED CROSS SALE IS GRAND SUCCESS

Totals a Little Over $2,000—Great Crowd Attends and Participates in Spirited Bidding—Other Winchester News Notes.

Winchester, April 13.—The Red Cross sale which was held in the public square here this afternoon was attended by hundreds of people and totaled over $2,000. In the crowd which assembled soon after 1 o'clock around the auction platform were seen people from Manchester, Murrayville, Bluffs, Glasgow, Oxville, Bloomfield, Lynnville, Merritt, Riggston and White Hall. The proceeds from the articles auctioned totaled over $1400 and cash donations from about 200 different persons aggregated $600. There were 164 articles offered for sale during the afternoon. Col. Charles H. Taylor of Chapin acted as auctioneer during the first half of the sale and Lloyd L. Seeley of White Hall performed this duty during the remainder of the time. A band composed of Winchester citizens and high school students opened the afternoon with a rendition of the Star Spangled Banner. Then followed a bugle call by Mrs. George Peak. Rev. N. R. Johnson in a few brief remarks presented the object of the sale and later Col. Taylor emphasized the need of funds for the Red Cross in a few well chosen remarks before opening the sale. In looking over prices given below it must be remembered that a majority of the articles were sold and resold, the original buyer donating the money and giving the article back to be sold again. The following were a few of the prices:

1 bushel of seed corn brought $40.

A silver dollar offered for sale netted $19.

One coop of White Leghorns, 2 hens and 1 rooster, $54.

An egg which was found in the coop brought $38.75.

One heifer, $64, resold for $105 making a total of $169. A little lamb brought $11.

Two wagon loads of corn brought $2.50 per bushel.

1 cocoanut cake brought $32.

Maude S., chocolate cake, $16.

Seed corn of which many bushels were sold, averaged $10 per bushel.

The cheapest article sold during the afternoon was a dog, which brought 50c.

4 pigs sold for $7 each, a goose sold for $2.

The sale closed about 5:30 o'clock.

News Notes.

Fifty four county pupils took the final examination at the grade school building today.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wiseman arrived Saturday from Alton called here by the death of the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Simpson of Peoria.

R. H. McCurdy, field secretary of the Red Cross, of Chicago, met with the official board here Saturday evening to talk over Red Cross work and look over reports. He left on a late train tonight for northern points.

E. G. Miner of Rochester, N. Y., is visiting at the home of his father, Dr. James Miner and sister.

As announced a few days ago Mr. Fritz Haskell will appreciate it, if anyone having the photograph of a Scott county man in the military service of the U. S., will send the photograph to him. It is Mr. Haskell's intention to have a group picture of all Scott county men in the service hung in the court house. These photographs should be sent at once as the group will be made up in a few days.

The Point Pleasant school closed Friday afternoon after a successful term in charge of the teacher, Miss Lena Hayes. Three pupils were awarded silver spoons for perfect attendance. These were Martha Gibbs, Glenn Coultas and Bealby Leach. Eighth grade certificates were awarded to Miss Martha Leach, Miss Martha Gibbs, Miss Lillie Patrick and Miss Mary Hawk. A diploma was issued to William Riepschlager.

Samuel Rimbey florist of White Hall, was in Winchester today, bringing a large number of cut flowers which were on sale during the day at the Higgins book store. Twenty five per cent of all flower sales was given to the Red Cross.

Misses Mamie and Lillie Collins were Jacksonville motor visitors Saturday.

A RESTRAINT UPON ALL FACTIONS OF IRISHMEN

LONDON, April 13.—There are strong hopes in London that the Irish troubles will undergo a gradual and pacific solution. An important fact is the menace of critical events in France overshadows all other considerations and imposes restraint upon all the factions of Irishmen and their ardent British supporters. This restraint has been exhibited in several ways.

If Ex-Premier Asquish had translated his judgment against conscription into motion to reject the government's proposal last night might have aroved a majority of the members of the house against it.

BULLETINS

BERLIN, April 13—Via London—It is officially stated that a portion of the German naval forces which are supporting the German troops in Finland anchored before Helsingfors today.

PITTSBURGH, April 13—Four members of an automobile party were killed instantly, another was fataly injured tonight when a Baltimore & Ohio fast pasenger train struck an automobile at Valencia, a small town, thirty miles north of here. The occident occurred at a rai crossing.

CHICAGO, April 13—Two men were killed in a pistol duel between three saloon robbers and a squad of policemen tonight. Detective George Clausen and one of the alleged robbers whose name is given as Mahoney, are dead. Another detective shot in the side was taken to the hospital.

PARIS, April 13.—The bombardment of the region of Paris by the long range gun was resumed today.

PARIS, April 13.—It is officially announced that twenty six persons were killed and seventy two injured in last night's aerial raid on Paris.

AGED RESIDENT DIED SATURDAY EVENING

Mrs. Anna Barbara Neuman Passed Away at Home of Her Daughter, Mrs. Henry Frisch—Was Born in Germany in 1836.

Mrs. Anna Barbara Neuman died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Frisch, 136 Pine street, Saturday night at 11:40 o'clock. Death came after an illness of several months and was caused by disease incident to old age.

Deceased was born in Wurtemberg, Germany, June 4, 1836. She came to this country 55 years ago settling in Springfield which was her home until 12 years ago when she cae to this city to make make her home with her daughter.

She was united in marriage 53 years ago in Springfield to John Frederick Neuman, who proceeded her in death 21 years ago. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. William Kane of Springfield and Mrs. Henry Frisch of this city. She also leaves three step children, Mrs. Helen Miller, John C. Neuman and Fred Neuman, all of Springfield.

Mrs. Neuman was a member of the Baptish church. She always took an active interest in its work so long as her health permitted. She was a woman of splendid Christian character and one whose devotion to duty and home were outstanding characteristics of life.

The remains will be taken to Springfield Monday. Funeral services will be held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Kane Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with burial in Oak Ridge cemetery.

BIG FOUR TROOP TRAIN STRIKES AUTOMOBILE

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 13.—Two peope were instantly killed and a third fatally injured at 5:15 o'clock when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Big Four troop train at a grade crossing at Windsor, sixty miles southeast of here. W. R. Storm of Windsor and his son Charles Storm of Catlin, were killed in the crash and T. G. Storm of Windsor, an uncle of the latter, was so severely injured that he died four hours later.

The car was a new one and W. R. Storm, who was driving, was unable to manipulate the brakes in time to check the machine when he saw the train coming.

DISCOVER CURE FOR HOOK WORM.

Fort Worth, Texas, April 13.—Colonel Williams, chief of staff at Camp Bowie, announced today that camp physicians had discovered a positive one day cure for hook worm. It was said that 20 per cent of the soldiers there suffer from this disease.

MAY BE IT WAS A GERMAN SPIRIT

O'FALLON, Ill., April 13.—Work in three coal mines here employing 450 men was stopped today following the receipt of a telegram by one miner from his mother-in-law a spiritaluist, who gave warning, she declared she had received from her dead husband. The message was received from Kansas City and asserted an accident would befall the miners today if they went to work.

ENEMY PRESSURE IS CONTINUING TOWARD NORTH

British Line Stiffens, Checking Germans South of Lys

Stiffening British resistance has checked the German drive southward from the Lys toward Bethune and westward from Merville towards Hazebrouck near the Belgian border The enemy pressure is continuing with great weight toward the north and desperate battling is in progress along the line running southwest from Messines to the south of Bailleul

The whole Ypres salient and the continued safety of the channel ports are pointed to by observers abroad as at stake in the fighting now underway. Hazebrouck and Bailleul important railway centers are vital feeding points for Messines ridge and the Ypres position in general.

On the southerly side of the wedge which the Germans have driven in between LaBasse and Armentieres the British resistance has been notably stiff, Bethune has been threatenel by the push in this direction. The enemy twice attacked Locon on this line about three miles north of Bethune, but each time was repulsed, the second time more easily than the first. The British also held firmly around Givenchy on their right flank, and advanced their line by capturing an important German post in this region. There was an improvement also in the allied position on the Somme battle front. The Germans had gained a footing in Hangard-en-Santerre, southeast of Amiens, in an attack on Friday but a combined drive by the British and French during the night at the point where the lines join, on the river Luce, near Hangard, restored the situation, putting the French again in complete possession of the village.

Meanwhile the American forces are contributing notably to the main tendency of the line on sectors of the French front to the southeast. The men in the sector northwest of Toul, last night repulsed in conjunction with the French another German attack on the positions in Brule wood.

A counter-attack was launched and the Germans were thrown out of the position.

Details of the repulse of Friday's two attacks upon the American in this sector show that during the fighting, which lasted virtually all day, the American troops inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy and took thirty six prisoners. They suffered few casualties themseves and had no men taken prisoners. Paris suffered casualties of twenty-six persons and 12 injured in Friday night's air raid. The German raid on England caused the death of five persons and the injury of fifteen.

ANNUAL CANVASS.

The annual canvass of the State Street Presbyterian church will take place this afternoon, beginning at 2:30 p. m. Members are asked to remain at home and in that way to assist the canvassers.

RETURNS TO WISCONSIN

Mrs. W. S. Ross of Mineral Point, Wis., who came to Jacksonville to attend the wedding of Miss Elizabeth Breckon and Robert Crawford, returned to her northern home yesterday.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES

Illinois:—Increasing cloudiness Sunday with showers in afternoon or night; Monday showers; not much change in temperature.

Temperatures

The current maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Saturday were:

Jacksonville, Ill.	55	29
Boston	36	32
Buffalo	36	32
New York	40	32
New Orleans	68	54
Chicago	52	42
Detroit	56	34
Omaha	66	40
Minneapolis	66	36
Helena	54	42
San Francisco	56	46
Winnipeg	62	44
Jacksonville, Fla.	68	48

Predictions for Coming Week

Washington, April 13.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday issued by the weather bureau today are:

Region of the Great Lakes: Showers Monday with temperature somewhat above the average, middle of week fair with normal temperature end of week showers with temperature considerably above normal.

Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valleys: First of week fair, cooler, middle of week fair with temperature above normal, showers at end of week with normal temperature.

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WITH BACK AGAINST A WALL.

The cartoonist who first pictured 'John Bull" as typifying the sturdy and tenacious qualities of the Englishman did a great work. That caricature has lived thru the years and Americans as they now read the newspaper headlines that "British are backed up against a wall" will find new admiration for the English character and the greatest satisfaction in the thought that English will power is proverbial and English courage indomitable. "John Bull" with his back against a wall is a reinforced Englishman and in that thought Americans can find much that is encouraging, amid much that is discouraging.

THE TESTIMONY OF DR. HILLIS.

It is disconcerting to read about the atrocity of the great war. It makes the blood run cold to know of the brutalieies inflicted by German soldiers, not upon soldiers on the opposing line, but upon women and children and non-combatants. Reports of these barbarous types of warfare—of the terrible crimes done in war's name—seem unbelievable. But the testimony comes from such stable sources that even the most unwilling must believe if he weighs the evidence. Witness this recent statement by no less an authority than Rev. Newel Dwight Hillis, who speaks from his own observations:

"Seeing is believing. I have seen.

"Not only have the German soldiers committed unspeakable atrocities, atrocity is the very soul of the German system of making war. The permission of atrocity is not passionate, sporadic or spontaneous. It has been systematically and scientifically taught in the German army since 1912.

"In the German Handbook of Military Tactics, printed in 1912, General Hoffman, instructor general to the German army, writes:

" 'War must be made not only on the soldiers of the enemy, but on the civilians behind the armies. Anything that will shatter the nerves and resistance of the enemy nation is proper and must be practiced. By steeping himself in military history an officer will be made to guard himself against excessive humanitarian notions.' "

THE TRUTH ABOUT FOOD.

If the average citizen could only be made to realize that the greatest danger to the allied cause now is not the German army but the food situation it would be much easier to enforce the rules of the food administration and to carry out its suggestions.

Edward Brown, a prominent Londoner now touring America in the interest of food conservation, declared before a St. Louis club that there is truth in the slogan that "Food will win the war." While Mr. Brown realizes that the situation at the front is not all that the allies could desire, he insists that the great menace to the ultimate success of allied arms is not Germany's military forces but the food situation.

It is safe to say that many a loyal American who is carrying out the food administration's instructions and suggestions halfway believes that there is a good deal of "bunk" about the whole proposition. Mr. Brown, who has traveled thru France, Italy and a part of Serbia making a survey of food conditions, said:

"Famine is stalking through all Europe now. France is not starving, but her food supply is limited. In Serbia one-half of the civil population has died for want of food, and Poland, before I left England sent the appeal that unless the allies send bread that country will starve. It is reported on reliable authority that there is not a child in all Poland under 8 years of age on account of famine."

WHAT YOUR BOY THINKS OF THE RED CROSS.

The Red Cross Magazine for May contains a remarkable tribute to the women of the Red Cross which came, entirely unsolicited, from a soldier serving overseas with the American Forces. He says in his letter:

"If there ever was a spur to honest American manhood, it is to be found in the work, sacrifice, and loyal, cheerful aid of the Red Cross women here and at home. Those here are undergoing hardships many a man would cringe from. They never complain, but greet us cheerily with smiles and kind words. They are both an inspiration, a source of help, and a living shame to us. From what would have been a living hell for us, now has become a paradise, thru their ministrations and tireless efforts.

"I recall an incident. It was just before midnight, New Year's Eve, a number of doctors and nurses gathered in the officers' ward to help us greet the New Year. The first toast was 'Victory,' and the Major was about to propose a funny one when a young lieutenant begged his pardon and asked us all to drink to the following one.

" 'To our Women, who sent us forth with courage in their hearts and tears in their eyes!

" 'To our Women at Home who are sacrificing their all that we may win!

" 'To our Women over here who give their own lives that we may live! God bless them—and damn the man who does not respect them and the coward who does not fight for them!' "

A PRACTICAL WAY TO SPEED BANDAGE WORK.

The movement started by the Wednesday class to purchase an electric cutter for the Red Cross work shop is meeting with support. It is said that a cutter which will make it possible to greatly multiply production of surgical dressings and minimize the nerve-racking work of the women at the shop can be purchased for $125. The Wednesday class inaugurated the good movement of purchasing one of these cutters by an initial subscription of $10. Some other contributions have been made and Saturday Dr. F. S. Hayden added another $5 to the fund and the Woman's club $25. Those familiar with the work testify that with this machine one woman can accomplish more than a dozen women working with hand instruments. The movement to buy the cutter is both praiseworthy and practical and no doubt the entire fund desired will soon be available.

THE SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION.

The official announcement has just been given that the annual election for Jacksonville school district will be held next Saturday, April 20, according to the provision of the school law. Julian P. Lippincott will be a candidate for re-election as president, Dr. W. P. Duncan, George S. Rogerson and Albert C. Metcalf as members to succeed themselves. The affairs of the board have been conducted with such harmony and with such general satisfaction to the public that these candidates should be returned to the board.

Members of the board of education do not draw salaries for their services and are members because of a genuine interest in the public schools and their willingness to make this sacrifice in the line of public service. The present board members have all along worked without friction and the results have been worth while. They are accustomed to board of education work, are familiar with the needs of the schools, and especially because of the various problems in connection with the building of the new high school it would be unwise to elect others in their places. In school affairs when men or women are elected and manifest devotion and intelligence in the handling of school problems which are so vital in the sum total of affairs, they should be retained for that work.

BUY A LITTLE LIBERTY BOND.

Buy a little Liberty bond
For the boys in camp
Who have now the khaki donned,
To get the Kaiser scamp.

Buy a little Liberty bond,
Then another one,
For the boys across the pond
Are gone to lick the Hun.

Buy a little Liberty bond,
Five or six I say,
Ere another morn has dawned
Make the German pay.

Buy a little Liberty bond,
For the world and right,
While our lads across the pond,
Keep Old Glory bright.

—S. A. Hughes.

RIPPLING RHYMS
By Walt Mason

TO ERR IS HUMAN.

I've made a million sad mistakes, I've made a million ghastly breaks. If all my bad breaks were in view, if friends and neighbors only knew how many boneheads I have scored they'd feel they couldn't well afford to have me on their calling list; and I'd go to the dump, I wist. When some poor delegate falls down, and puts a crimp in his renown, the wise boys, ever on guard, come dowr upon him pretty hard They hang around the market place and say his conduct's a disgrace. A mighty impulse then I feel to stand among such groups and spiel, and hand out shining texts and saws, and stand up strong for virtue's cause. But, thank the gods, before I start, I always feel a change of heart. I get to thinking of my sins and errors, which are mostly twins. And I recall my vagrant ways; how I jumped town between two days, the sheriff half a rod behind; how I swiped pennies from the blind; how I was pinched for stealing hens—and then I put away the lens that I have used to magnify the frightful deeds of t'other guy. I don't believe that any gent has all the virtues in him blent to such a marvelous degree that he should feel quite prompt and free to ta the hide from erring jay who's wandered from the narrow way.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

April 14, 1862—State Auditor Jesse K. Dubois and Gen. John Cook arrived at Cairo fro Pittsburg April 14. They reported the sick and wounded provided for as well as possible on the transports and in the barracks.

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L. R. Caldwell, 212 South Mauvaisterre street, is now regularly in the electric light business. His specialty is all kinds of electric light suuplies for electric light users, such as chandeliers, burners, globes and everything in that line, which he will supply at reasonable prices on short notice. He is also local agent for the renowned Delco lighting system. By this system any farmer or any person whatever, no matter where located, may have right within his own house the full benefit and conveniences of electric lights, household power for washing machine, clothes wringer, churning and water pumping. The plant is reasonable in price and very easily manipulated and the running of it is also not expensive. Mr. Caldwell has installed a number in this county that are giving entire satisfaction and will be pleased to confer with anyone wanting more light.

RED MEN!

Important meeting and refreshments next Tuesday night.

A. B. Opperman, C. of R.

WILL ADDRESS CONCORD PEOPLE

Miller Weir, who is here from Chicago for a few days on business connected with the Morgan county local board, will make an address today at the Concord M. E. church. It will be a union meeting of the people in that locality in the interest of the liberty loan. This is one of a group of church assemblages arranged thru out the county by Rev. M. L. Pontius, chairman of the Morgan county Liberty Loan Speakers committee.

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A SMOOTH SWINDLER

A day or two since a well dressed and intelligent appearing man arrived in the city with a very plausible hard luck story. He had been at Rochester, Minnesota, at the hospital of the Mayo Brothers where he had undergone a serious operation and was on his way to visit a son in the southern part of Illinois. While in Chicago he had $175 in his pocket where a smooth stranger helped him on with his overcoat and took his money in the operation. He had managed to get this far but must have money to get to his son and he asked a small loan. One confiding merchant gave him a dollar and another fifty cents and probably others took pity on him. He operated a day or two when one man became suspicious and reported the case to another merchant.

The man called on the latter yesterday morning and told his tale and in reply to a question said he had arrived in town that morning. The gentleman said that was strange as he had heard of him for the last two days. Seeing he was detected he took a bee line down North Main street and has not been seen since.

Your style and size shirt can be found at FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

SIGNAL SCHOOL NOTES.

The minstrel show surely had its effect on the school Friday evening, only one student being present. However, this one student brought with him, H. P. Peaker of Los Angeles, Cal. Mr. Peaker is an old time electrical worker of Jacksonville and has done a great deal of amateur wireless work. It is hoped he will have time to visit the school again when there are more students present.

All the boys having completed their first plate of mechanical drawing, the second layout is now ready for them to "go to it."

The school is indebted to William Benson for a nicely painted window card, bearing the words, Morgan County Signal school. The authorities of the school wish to expresss their appreciation of this act of Mr. Benson's. The card has ben placed in the door at the bottom of the stairs leading to the school rooms.

Allen and Frank Kelly, two students of the school since its beginning are putting in some good licks, being the first on hand every evening. They are being repaid for their endeavors, for both are rapidly gaining proficiency both in sending and receiving.

C. E. Clark, one of our students, who recently was voluntarily inducted and sent to Fort Leavenworth for further training in signal corps work has written a letter to the school. It reads

Depot Co. I, Baracks 229,
Signal Corps,
Ft. Leavenworth, Kan.,
April 7, 1918.

Dear Friends:-

Will write you a few lines and let you know I passed the physical examination O. K. I landed here last Tuesday morning and secured my uniform the next day. Have a fairly good fit now, as I have traded a few times. Ha.

Seems as tho we radio men weren't supposed to stay here long, but learned yesterday we will stay and be given intensive radio training. Get started probably by the 10th or 15th. There are a number of instruments at Depot Co. I. So far I haven't received a great deal of practice.

'Tis a gay life, just the same. Never felt better.

After supper we are free until 10 p. m., then we are supposed to turn out the lights in squad room. Saturday afternoons and Sundays we are also free. I was out to the city yesterday shopping a little. Can go there to dances if we care to.

Good movies here at the Y. M. C. A. three nights a week. I've met fellows that are in the radio department from every state in the Union I guess. Some came in today from Massachusetts.

Hello to all the boys and instructors and would be delighted to hear from any of them. Sure is a fine old fort boys and wish you were here to enjoy it with me. "Of course we have plenty of work to do." Well, write and let me know how you are getting along. Probably can write more of importance next time.

Friend C. E. Clark.

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The pick of pictures. A great society drama and a a great love story.
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A Nestor Comedy
The big hit of the season. See It.

—TUESDAY—
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—Presents—
CONSTANCE TALMADGE
—in—
"SCANDAL"
A big drama of right and wrong. A story that is strong and a lesson for all. Also
A Comedy
Don't let this one get by you.

—WEDNESDAY—
BLUEBIRD PHOTOPLAYS
—Presents—
FRANKLYN FARNUM
—in—
"FAST COMPANY"
Supported by an extraordinary cast including Juanita Hansen. A comedy drama and a laugh for you.

—THURSDAY—
"STINGAREE"
—with—
TRUE BOARDMAN
A big hearted bad man.
Also a comedy—
"POKES AND JABS"
—and—
A Single Comedy

—FRIDAY—
Seventh Episode of
"BULL'S EYE"
—with—
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—Also—
The Bog L. Ko Comedy
Fun for all.

—SATURDAY—
BUTTERFLY PHOTOPLAYS
—Presents—
HARRY CAREY
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CITY AND COUNTY

Dennis Crouse of Murrayville was a local caller Saturday.

John Baumaister of Shiloh was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday.

William Baumaister of Arcadia was a Saturday caller in the city.

Charles Wood of Pisgah paid the city a business visit Saturday.

Miss Mabel May of this city is spending the day with relatives in New Berlin.

Misses Nell Hoban and Flossie Hegarty are spending the day with friends east of Woodson.

W. H. Algier of Mt. Sterling was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Wanted—Mechanics at L. O. Kaule's garage.

Miss Dana Baer of Meredosia was a shopper in the city Saturday.

T. H. Moore of Springfield was called to the city on business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hudson and children of Dubuque, Iowa, were Saturday visitors in the city.

Miss Florence Cox and Mrs. James Dobyns were city arrivals from Orleans yesterday.

Edward Hamman of Meredosia was a Saturday business visitor in the city.

Earl Sorrells of Woodson drove to the city Saturday in his Oakland car.

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Frank Nickel of Concord visited the city yesterday, making the trip in his Oakland car.

E. P. Sooy was among Murrayville residents who visited the city Saturday.

Miss Nellie McCarty of Hardin avenue is enjoying a visit today with friends in Springfield.

Mrs. Alice Joy of Joy Prairie is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Joy of this city over Sunday.

Miss Miriam Kenyon of the East Liberty school was visiting friends in the city Saturday.

Misses Emma and Georgianna Dodson of Carrollton were local shoppers yesterday.

Miss Louise Wood of Pisgah was shopping with Jacksonville merchants Saturday.

Miss Lucy Bird of Perry was visiting Jacksonville friends Saturday.

Miss Helen Smith of Kansas City is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Charles Rawlings of this county.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hoover of Concord were Jacksonville callers yesterday.

Ross Seymour of Franklin drove to the city yesterday in his Buick.

Claude Keenan of Alexander drove to the city Saturday in his Buick car.

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SOLDIER
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Henry Roberts of Franklin paid the city a business visit Saturday, coming in his Buick car.

David Stansfield of Murrayville was a Saturday business visitor in the city.

Charles Gibbs of Lynnville was in the city Saturday for the transaction of business.

George Dietrich was among the Concord residents who visited the city Saturday.

J. O. Icenogel and son of Prentice were Jacksonville visitors Saturday.

Mrs. George Williams of Detroit, Mich., is visiting friends in the city.

Benjamin Davenport and son of Alexander were among the Saturday visitors in the city.

Ralph Steel and Ralph Ryan of Franklin paid the city a business visit Saturday.

R. L. McDivvitt of Loami drove to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

Wanted—Mechanics at L. O. Kaule's garage.

Frank Robinson of Manchester was a local business visitor yesterday.

L. H. Boston of New Berlin was called to the city yesterday by business interests.

Alexander Ranson of Lynnville was a business caller here yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Ranson of Big Sandy was in the city Saturday for shopping purposes.

Denby Ranson of Lynnville paid the city a business visit Saturadq.

R. R. Clark of Peoria was transacting business with local merchants yesterday.

H. A. Wright of Franklin was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Miss Louise Robertson of Urbana was a shopper in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Spargenberg of White Hall were Saturday callers in the city.

Try a brick of delicious Roszell ice cream today; sold by Luly-Davis Drug Co .

A. F. Story of Murrayville was numbered among the Saturday visitors here.

Charles A. Davis of Pearl was a business visitor in the city Saturday.

Truman Cowdin of Joy Prairie transacted business with local merchants Saturday.

Lee Uhlman of Detroit was calling on Jacksonville friends yesterday.

William Stubblefield and James Gish were business visitors in the city Saturday.

Misses Grace Jennings and Ruth Miller of Murrayville were shoppers in the city yesterday.

Miss Mary Harney and Mrs. Hattie Cade of Woodson were local shoppers Saturday.

Fresh bulk garden seed, the kind that grows at Brady Bros. Also complete line of garden tools.

Miss Theresa Sorrells of Ft. Madison, Iowa, is visiting friends in the city.

Paul Jolly of Franklin was a Saturday business caller in the city.

Misses Myra and Esther Kyle of Shumway were shopping with local merchants Saturday.

John Hamman and George Swain of Sinclair were among the Saturday business visitors in the city.

Misses Elizabeth and Minerva Furrow of Rochester are visiting their aunt, Mrs. A. J. Haney on East College street.

William Paul of Woodson was a Jacksonville business visitor Saturday, making the trip in his Buick car.

E. M. Harmon, Rev. Mr. Symons, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hamm all of Concord were Jacksonville visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Peters and Mrs. Bessie Southwell of Merritt were callers in the city yesterday.

NEW PATTERN HATS ON SALE AT HERMAN'S.

Mrs. William Keogh of Bloomington is visiting at the home of her brother, James W. Harrigan on North Prairie street.

Mrs. A. C. Dickson of Springfield and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mohr of Milwaukee attended the funeral of Mrs. Edgerton yesterday and all returned to Springfield in the evening.

Rev. F. M. Rule has returned from Warsaw, Indiana where he attended the North Indiana conference of the M. E. church and presented the claims of the Woman's College.

Charles McLain of the north part of the county, who was so badly injured when his team ran away with a pulverizer, is improving in a gratifying manner.

S. P. Angelo expects to start for Concordia, Kans., tomorrow to attend to matters of business. He has been in communication with an old time official friend whom he knew forty years ago and who remembers him well yet.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Dio K. Duke and daughter Gladys motored to the city from Pisgah precinct in the former's Ford car.

Rev. A. A. Todd returned Friday night after a two days' attendance at the semi-annual board meeting of the Illinois Baptist State Convention which convened at Pontiac, Ill. Several appropriations were made; some weak churches helped and advanced steps taken to place the rural churches on a better footing.

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CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

The United Commercial Travelers Woman's club will meet with Mrs. A. D. Conlee, 1635 South Main street Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. W. S. Ehnie will be assistant hostess.

The Women's Relief Corps will hold the April birthday social Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jane Wyatt of Hackett avenue.

The Household Science club will meet Tuesday, April 16th, with Mrs. J. J. Reeve, 233 Prospect street.

Hartland Unit W. C. N. D. will hold a box social and old fashioned spelling bee next Saturday evening, April 20th, beginning at 8 o'clock. Rev. M. L. Pontius of Jacksonville will tell of his visit to the southern cantonment. C. H. Story of Jacksonville will pronounce the spelling. The popular young auctioneer, F. A. Seymour will sell the boxes. There will be a fine box of chocolate candy to go to the most popular young lady. Everybody should attend.

The Mission Study Circle of the Congregational church will m on Tuesday evening, April 16th, with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wilson, 1312 West State street. The subject will be "Sons of Italy—What America is doing with them and for them" and will be discussed by Mrs. D. O. Clark.

The Social Domestic Science Club will meet at the residence of Mrs. Warren Mitchell on East College avenue Friday at 2 p. m. All members are urged to be present.

The Wednesday Class will with Mrs. C. E. Black.

The Monday Conversation club will meet with Mrs. H. V. Stearns, 825 West College avenue, April 15th at 3 o'clock.

The Pastor's Aid society and Red Cross Workers of the First Baptist church will hold an all day meeting at the church Wednesday.

The Woman's Home Missionar Society of Centenary church will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. S. Smith, 223 Caldwell street at 3 o'clock.

The East Side Tuesday club will meet at the home of Mrs. J. Marshall Miller Tuesday, April 2rd on West North street.

The Rev. James Caldwell chapter D. A. R. will meet on Tuesday with Miss Trabue to sew for the Red Cross. If possible Mr. Bancroft will be present and speak about the centennial.

The Executive board of the Morgan county unit of the Woman's Committee Council of National Defense will meet on Monday afternoon at 3:30 at the public library.

The Ladies' Aid society of Centenary church will meet Thursday with Mrs. C. Waggoner, at 2:30 p. m.; Mrs. Anna Fenstemaker and Mrs. George Paxson.

The College Hill club will meet Monday at 3 p. m. with Miss McLaughlin at the Woman's College.

The Literary Union will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock with Dr. E. F. Baker at the Dunlap House. Subject, "The War Poets." Leader, H. V. Stearns.

The Chaminade Musical club will meet Monday afternoon at the home of Miss Cornelia LaRue, 739 West North street at 2:30 o'clock. A second American program will be given.

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Social Events

Entertained Philathea Class.

Monday evening the "Philathea Circle" class of the Central Christian church was entertained by Miss Carrie Schultz, Miss Bessie Sawyer and Miss Orph Reaugh, at the State School for the Deaf. Miss Boston and Miss Woodall tho not members of the class kindly assisted.

A business meeting was the first consideration; the committee of the whole plan allowing each member to quickly discuss ways and means for the coming month's work. A jolly time and timely refreshments followed necessary business of the evening. The hospitality of the members from the State School proved most enjoyable.

Mound Woman's Country Club.

The Mound Woman's Country club met with Mrs. V. R. Riley, April 12, with a very good attendance of members and several guests. Mrs. R. G. Vasey and Miss Carrie Gibbs were appointed delegates to the County Federation meeting and Mrs. W. S. Jones and Mrs. Nellie Gunn as delegates to the District Federation meeting to be held in Jacksonville in May.

A completed layette (French and Belgian) which had been made by the club members was turned in. Also it was voted to donate $10 toward the new machine which the Red Cross is going to purchase for their work. A paper on "A Woman in War" by Mrs. W. S. Jones was very interesting. She told of the many things they are doing and the many new positions they are filling to do their bit in the war. Roll call was answered by naming a prominent woman and telling of her work. After delicious refreshments the cub adjourned to meet the second Friday in May with Mrs. Harry Kitner.

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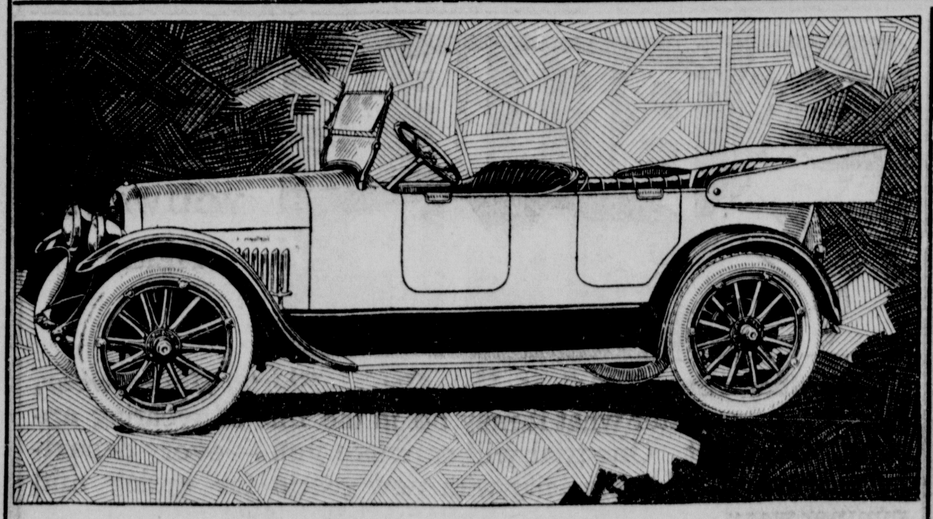
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No. 509. On North Prairie St. we have a lot 70x160 ft. House of nine rooms, all modern. Hot and cold water up and down stairs. Nice barn, with side entrance from paved street. This is a nice convenient home and not too far out. Price $4500.

No. 510. On East College avenue we have a lot 64x180, ten room house, all in good condition. Small barn. Fine garden place. Price $4000.00. Will take smaller place in exchange.

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WILL DELIVER MEMORIAL ADDRESS.

The Memorial day committee of Matt Starr post has arranged with Rev. J. O. Kirkpatrick, the son of a veteran and pastor of West Jacksonville circuit, to deliver the Memorial day address and it is probable that as usual Centenary church will be the place.

Mrs. J. H. Westlake of Pittsfield was a Saturday visitor in the city.

Specimen Official Ballot

Jacksonville School District No. 117
in Morgan County, Illinois

Election Saturday, April 20, 1918

MARY E. PIERSON, Secretary.

FOR PRESIDENT
(Vote for One)

☐ JULIAN P. LIPPINCOTT

FOR MEMBERS
(Vote for Three)

☐ W. P. DUNCAN
☐ GEORGE S. ROGERSON
☐ ALBERT C. METCALF

HIGH SCHOOL WILL OBSERVE CENTENNIAL

Local School Will Innaugurate First Observance of Year In This County—Will Be Held at Nichols Park.

Pupils of Jacksonville high school will be the first to observe the centennial of the State of Illinois. The celebration will be under the auspices of the Jacksonville High School Centennial Club and will be staged at Nichols park on Tuesday evening April 23.

The club has been working hard for several weeks on scenes and tableau for the occasion. The work is under the direction of Miss Louise Gates and Miss Helen Calkins and promises to be staged with strict attention to historical correctness and detail.

The entertainment will consist of twelve scenes depicting the early history of the state. These scenes will embrace, Indian, pioneer and war scenes. The entertainment is free to the public and with favorable weather conditions should attract a large number.

Miss Gates and Miss Calkins announced last night that they hoped to have the various scenes worked out so that a brief synopsis can be given this week This entertainment will be the first of probably a number that will be given in Morgan county and Jacksonville this year. The high school is to be commended that it has taken the initiative in centennial celebrations.

Paris proposes to rename one of its streets in honor of the Queen of the Belgians.

DEATHS

Sibert.

Mrs. Edward Sibert passed away at her home two and one-half miles southeast of Chapin at 8:20 o'clock Saturday evening after an illness of brief duration of apoplexy. Mrs. Sibert suffered a light stroke about a year ago but recovered. Yesterday about noon she suffered a more severe attack, and while she did not lose consciousness until later in the evening, she never rallied from it, passing away at the hour stated.

Mrs. Sibert was born in the western part of Morgan county, Jan. 18, 1865. She was united in marriage to Edward Sibert in 1880, three children coming to bless this union.

Deceased is survived by the husband, and the following children: Miss Belle, at home, and Mrs. Albert Vannier of Exeter. One son died in infancy.

Mrs. Sibert was a member of the Chapin Christian church and was a woman of many admirable traits of character, greatly respected and loved by all who knew her best.

Funeral services will be held at the home Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made at Jordan cemetery.

PLUGGERS BEAT SLUGGERS

The Pluggers beat the Sluggers in a baseball game Saturday. Both teams are from the Parochial school. We being unable to learn the score, but several home runs were made and some brilliant fielding and some bad fielding was seen during the contest.

SCHOOL ELECTION NEXT SATURDAY

President and Three Members of Jacksonville Board of Education to Be Chosen—Polling Places Named.

The annual Jacksonville school election wil be held next Saturday, April 20, in accordance with the provisions of the general school law. Polling places are:

District 1—Jefferson school building.

District 2—David Prince school building.

District 3—Voting booth, corner Mauvaisterre street and East College avenue.

District 4—Voting booth, corner Grove street and Fayette street

The boundaries of the district are identical with the ward boundaries so that voters have no difficulty in determining where they are to cast their ballots The polls will be open from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. Dr. W. P. Duncan, George S. Rogerson and Albert C. Metcalf will be candidates for board membership and Julian P. Lippincottt for president These officers have been serving and so far there will be no other candidates. as known there will be no other candidates. As people are so generally interested in school affairs there will no doubt be a good vote cast at this electinon.

SEED CORN

I have shelled and shipped my seed corn. Am expecting it any day. I have more corn than I took orders for. If you want any of it get busy. F. L. Hairgrove.

KINDERGARTEN BENEFIT

The Free Kindergarten has announced a Benefit Tea on Saturday afternoon, April 20th, at the Central Christian church. The board has aranged a most interesing and delightful program for this benefit. Mr. Pontius has very kindly consented to tell of his recent experiences at Camp Logan. This will be a vivid and interesting picture of the life of our soldier boys in the training camps by one whose training and experence have fitted hm to be a close observer. There wil be a short muscal program and light refreshments will be served. It is the hope of the board that a large number will find it possible to attend and enjoy the talk and help this worthy cause. The admission will be ten cents.

"GOOD WHEAT BRAN."

We bought a large quantity of good "bran" at a lower market and give you the benefit. Price $2.25 per 100 lbs. Quality guaranteed. Sold only by, Cain Mills, Both phones 240.

RED CROSS NOTES.

During the week the following hospital garments have been received at the Shop:

8 Hospital Bed Shirts, Westminster church.

6 Hospital bed shirts, Gleaners from Ebenezer.

3 hospital bed shirts, Ladies' Aid society, Ebenezer.

2 pajama suits, Congregational church.

Wanted for the Red Cross.

500 Volunteers, women and girls, to pledge themselves to 10 hours work a month, for folding surgical dressings. No experience necessary. To sign this pledge report to Miss Carter, Surgical Dressing Rooms, East State street, Odd Fellows Hall.

OUTDOOR PHOTOGRAPHY.

You will need films and other camera supplies. The best line at Gilberts Pharmacy.

PASSAVANT HOSPITAL WILL HAVE BENEFITS

At the Grand Tuesday and Wednesday of this week Blue Jeans the famous play of other days will be presented for the benefit of Pasavant hospital. This play was one of the best melodramas ever produced and was a sensation twenty-five years ago. The star here will be Viola Dana who is one of the cleverest as well as one of the prettiest screen stars of the present day.

A week from Monday a benefit dance will be given for Passavant hospital at K. C. hall. The institution is a most worthy one and no doubt large crowds will attend both entertainments.

THE APPROPRIATE GIFT.

A fountain pen is at once the useful and appropriate gift. Buy the best kinds at Gilbert's Pharmacy.

PARTITION SUIT FILED

A suit for partition was filed in the office of Circuit Clerk C. W. Boston Saturday by J. Rex Ranson and Thomas B. Ranson against Anna Ranson, Sarah Anne Ranson, Viron Z. Ranson, Clifford Ranson and Maurice B. Keplinger, guardian of Viron Z. Ranson and Clifford Ranson. The complainants ask for a partition of the estate of James W. Ranson who died in 1905. Carl E. Robinson is attorney for the complainants.

WEST SIDE ART CLUB.

The West Side Ladies Art club were entertained Friday afternoon by Miss Clara Davis and Mrs. De Witt at the home of the latter. An open discussion by members of the club on "Dry Campaign," and a paper on "Parliamentary Drills" by Mrs. Thomas Robinson. Refreshments were served by the hostesses. Club adjourned to meet Friday, April 26th with Mrs. Dugan and Miss Clernma Harold at the home of the former.

BACK FROM THE EAST

The friends of Miss Susan M. Hall, aunt of Mrs. Harriet Eames Lander, will be glad to know of her return from the east, where she has been for a year or more. Miss Hall has spent most of her time in Wallingford, Conn., her old home, and now comes back to that of her niece, Mrs. Lander.

Mr and Mrs James B Wood, Mr and Mrs Dick Duke and daughter Gladys motored to the city from Pisgah precinct in the former's Ford car Saturday

FUNERALS

Edgerton.

The funeral of Mrs. Harriet Edgerton was conducted at the undertaking parlors of J. G. Reynolds yesterday afternoon in the presence of a sympathetic audience that filled the apartment. Rev. R. B. Wilson, pastor of State Street Presbyterian church officiated, reading suitable portions of scripture, a number especially applicable to the death of an aged person. After an earnest prayer by the minister John L. Johnson sang that beautiful hymn, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought Comes to me O'er and O'er," after which the remains were conveyed to their last resting place in Jacksonville cemetery, the bearers being Messrs. R. T. Cassell, S. O. Barr, W. H. Dalton, D. W. Osborne, W. M. Wood and J. T. Osborne. There were many beautiful flowers and wreaths and these were in charge of Mrs. E. E. Crabtree of this city and Miss Dorsey of Springfield.

Rodgers.

Funeral services for Mrs. Margaret Rodgers were held from the Baptist church in Waverly Saturday afternoon. A large assemblage of friends and relatives gathered to pay a last tribute to the memory of one who had spent so many years and was so much beloved by all in the community.

The services were opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Campbell, pastor of the church. Scripture reading was by Rev. Mr. Smith pastor of Waverly Methodist church. The funeral sermon was preached by Dr. Walter E. Spoonts of Northminster church of this city. Music was furnished by a quartet. There were many beautiful floral offerings and these were cared for by intimate friends.

Burial was in Waverly cemetery the bearers being, Thomas Rodgers, John Rodgers, Samuel Rodgers, George Rodgers and Henry J. Rodgers, sons of the deceased and Ralph Wells, a grandson.

Those in attendance from a distance were: Mayor Rodgers and daughter Miss Edith, and Dr. W. E. Spoonts and wife of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Turnbull and family and sister of Carlinville.

Automobile oil, extra fine, 70 cents per gal. Cup grease, grease guns, battery testers, batteries; everything the best at Brady Bros.

DEATHS

Sehy.

Peter Sehy a well known resident of Ashland died at his home in that city Saturday evening at 7:40 o'clock. Deceased was born in Germany about 75 years ago and came to this country when a small boy and settled in New Berlin. Later he moved to Ashland where he has since resided and where he was engaged in the shoe business. He is survived by the following children Frank Sehy of this city, John Sehy, Mrs. Catherine Henn and Mrs. Mary Henn, all of Ashland. No arrangements have yet been made for the funeral.

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WITH THE SICK

George McAllister of Murrayville is a patient at Passavant hospital, having undergone an operation there Friday. His condition was reported as improving last night.

Mr. Eugene Gailey is in a serious condition at Our Savior's hospital.

THE OVERLAND RECORD

Forty Overlands since January 1, 1918, is the record of our sales. Here is a list of the cars sold the past week:

Bluffs—G. W. Arundel, (sub-dealer) 85-4; Albert Peters, 90-Country Club.

Concord—Casper Bliming (sub-dealer) 85-4.

Winchester — H. A. Vannier (sub-dealer) 85-4; W. A. Chastain, 90-Touring.

Literberry—Orville L. Cr (sub-dealer) 85-4 Roadster; J. Mutch, 90-Country Club.

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Mrs. Myrtle R. Hazard of B timore is the only woman electrician in the service of the Unit States Coast Guard.

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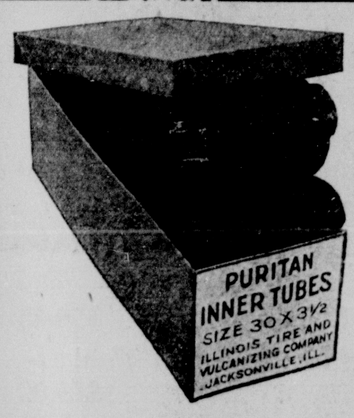
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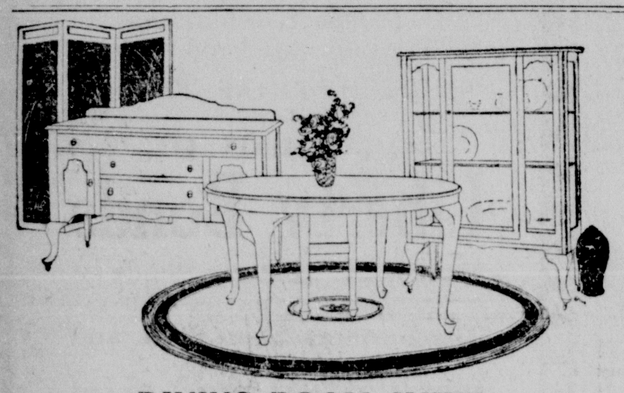
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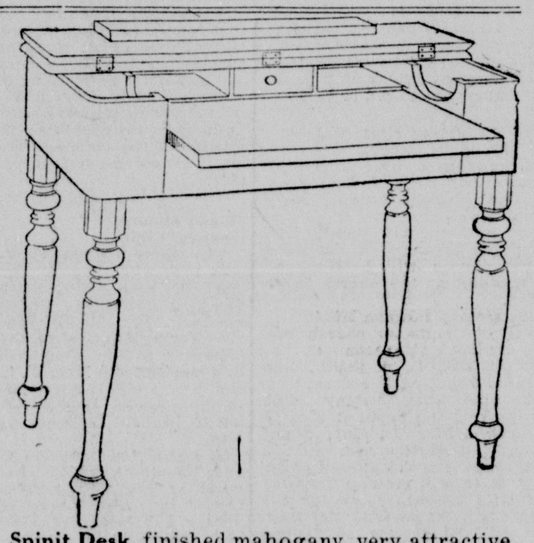
Our Spring Exhibit of HOME FURNISHINGS is practically complete, including Summer Furniture, and you are invited to call any time and inspect our offerings without any obligation on your part to buy.



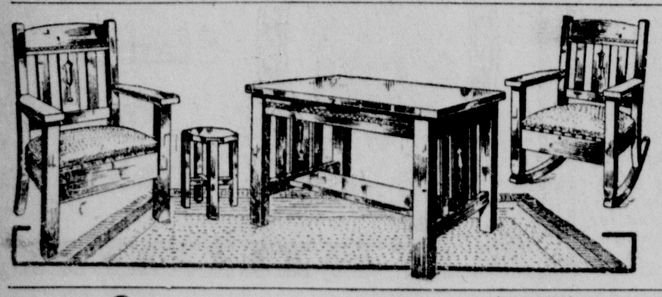
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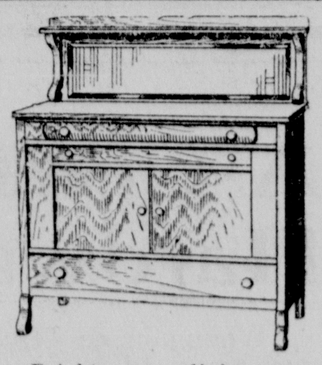
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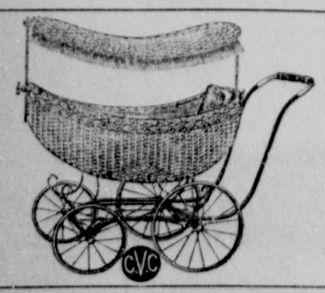
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TES ON W. S. S. SCHOOL CAMPAIGN

ins Monday in All City Schools —Ward, High Schools and the avid Prince.

he opening gun of the campn will be fired at 10:30 a. m. n Chairman Weber of the nty War Savings Committee address the students of the id Prince school Monday. he plan worked out by the l and state committees for the of War Savings Stamps and ift Stamps in the schools is comprehensive and yet simand calculated to enlist the thusiastic co-operation of the ils in selling and buying these by Liberty Bonds."

he campaign is started by the mation of a War Savings Soy in each room. The pupils asked to agree to purchase ift stamps regularly each week each month and a pledge card provided for the signature of pupil thus making a formal tter of the regular buying of stamps.

As each pupil signs a pledge d he automatically becomes a mber of the War Savings Soty, which selects a distinctive me and elects one of its mems as secretary and treasurer.

Special Honor Roll.

As soon as the pupils have purased a Thrift Stamp or a War vings Stamp, his or her name is engrossed on a special Honor Roll provided by the government and a series of colored stars pasted before these names designates the number of stamps either bought or sold by the student. A green star being given for the first five stamps bought or sold, Red for ten, blue for twenty five and Gold for fifty. These stars are placed before the names of the pupils to be honored thereby by appropriate patriotic exercises.

The goal for each room is "100 Percent War Savers" and as soon as the rooms reach this standard and have the names of every pupil on the Honor Roll a special "100 Percent" Poster is awarded them by the County Committee.

Various war games are played in this connection which tend to stimulate interest in the society. One of these is called, "Sinking the Submarine" and is played as follows: The teacher or some apt pupil draws the picture of one of the Kaiser's death dealing submarines lurking on top of the water waiting for its prey. The boat is then divided into squares, corresponding to the number of pupils enrolled by light pencil lines and as soon as a pupil completes his purchase of a stamp he is privileged to paste a square of green paper over the submarine, the object being to entirely cover it with the green paper representing the water of the ocean and thus sink it. The slogan of the ga ae mWraisnvgS .vy the game, War Savings Stamps will Sink Submarines.

Another game is to have a section of the battle line drawn on a large scale and divided into as many sections as pupils enrolled in the room. Upon purchasing a stamp the pupils writes his name in one of these sections, thus holding the line against the enemy. The goal in this game is to have every part of the line manned by a War Saver.

Pupils to Sell Stamps.

Orders for stamps will be taken by the pupils from parents and friends on special "Green Band Post Cards" furnished for the purpose and the mail carriers will deliver and collect for all stamps ordered on these cards. The number of cards turned in by the pupil and bearing his name as solicitor will be the basis for awarding the stars on the Honor Roll.

In addition to the individual honors the schools of the county have been divided into five different classes, according to enrollment and at the close of the year a prize of a beauitfully framed and engraved tablet will be awarded the school in each class selling the largest amount of stamps.

Special Boy Scout Ruling.

Owing to the fact that some of the pupils in the schools are competing for the Special Boy Scout Medal to be awarded all Scouts selling at least $250 worth of stamps to twenty-five individuals and in order to prevent a division of effort, Chairman Weber last evening made a special ruling covering cases of the kind, to the effect that where Scouts who are competing for the Ace Medal are enrolled in any room forming a War Saving Society, they will be given credit for their sales both in the School society and towards the Scout Medal.

If you want good garden seed that grows, go to Brady Bros. You can't afford to take any chances this year.

WILL CELEBRATE HER 87TH BIRTHDAY.

Miss Susan F. Ellis will celebrate her 87th birthday Monday at the home of F. T. Irving, 1047 Grove street, where she makes her home. She was born at Newtown, Ohio, and her parents were James and Susannah (Curry) Ellis. They came to this county in 1839 and settled on a farm near Concord. She began teaching school at the age of 14, afterward attended the Academy and graduated in 1852. She taught in the public schools of this city many years and also taught private school and at Academy several years.

About four years ago she had the misfortune to fall and break her hip, from which she has never fully recovered, due partly to her advanced age and failing strength. Tho confined to her bed most of the time she takes a keen interest in everyday affairs and her splendid memory and wide acquaintance enable her to recall many interesting reminiscences. She is always glad to see her friends, of whom she is fortunate in having such a large number. The children of her former pupils often stop on their way to and from school to greet and bring her flowers.

RED MEN!
Important meeting and refreshments next Tuesday night.
A. B. Opperman, C. of R.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Wesley N. Reynolds to John Hughes warranty deed to part of las 114 and 116 C. J. Salter's first addition to Waverly, $1.

E E Crabtreet et al to Illinois Woman's college, warranty deed to part of lot one block 14 city addition to Jacksonville, $9,500.

F. H Bode to Jenkinson-Bode company quit claim deed to lot five Nortonville, $1

Jenkinson-Bode company to W. R. Steele warranty deed to same tract, $1.

MATHIS, KAMM & SHIBE SAY:

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Automobile oil, extra fine, 70 cents per gal. Cup grease, grease guns, battery testers, batteries; everything the best at Brady Bros.

Miss Fay Ranson of the Buckhorn neighborhood drove up to the city in her Ford car yesterday.

A TEXAS WONDER

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COUNTY AGENT'S NOTES.

Wheat as a whole is reported as looking very well all over the State except parts of Southern Illinois where it has suffered considerably the past few weeks from lack of moisture. A much needed rain was reported generally over Southern Illinois on April 1 and 6 which no doubt will make the prospects in that section much brighter. where the snow was blown off the tops of hills last winter, the wheat was generally killed out.

Questionable Seed Corn is reported as being sold in various counties. The history of this seed has been proven in many cases to be falsely represented. In nearly every case this seed was reported as having been "grown from corn obtained last year" in the particular Illinois county where it is now being sold for seed. The history of such seed should be very carefully investigated and germinated as the tests generally are proving to be very low.

A Carload of Fine Looking Corn was shipped into Woodford County and the local buyer said it came from "south of Sioux City" —Investigation showed that this corn came from Kansas, but the intention apparently was to leave the impression that this corn was grown near Sioux Citty, Iowa.—W. G. Eckhard.

Sorghum. Over one hundred acres in McHenry County have been contracted for sorghum growing, providing suitable seed can be located. One business man in the county has agreed to purchase a mill for the use of the farmers who will grow this sorghum.

Many men forget to order soy bean seed sufficiently early. Soy beans should be in the ground about May 15, in Central Illinois.

Thirty cars of limestone are the result of a series of community meetings conducted during the past week in Clinton County. Mr. Rehling reports that the orders are not all in as yet. It is planned to use this limestone on fields that go into clover or alfalfa next spring.

Dairy shor course to be held at the University of Illinois, May 1st to 11th. for the purpose of training young men not subject to the draft, men past the draft age, or those physically unfit, in the testing of milk. These men will be given positions in official testing work and in cow testing association work. Many positions will be open in Illinois at $60 per month and expenses, and there is quite a demand in other states as well. The subjects given during the short course will be feedings, breeds and breedings, cattle judging, care and management of dairy herds, and testing milk and its products. Anyone interested is invited to attend. Men having some practical experience are especially desired. There will be no expense attached to the course except board and room.—E. M. Clark, College of Agriculture.

The Value of Molasses and Gluten Feed for fattening steers has been determined in a feeding test just concluded at Ames. Six lots of two year old steers were fed for 120 days. Four lots were fed molasses feeds as recommended by the companies which make and sell those feeds. One lot was fed gluten feed and a check lot was fed a ration of shelled corn, oil meal, alfalfa hay and corn silage. In each case where molasses was used the average daily gains were decreased, cost of grains increased, the margin per steer over feed cost was decreased when compared to the check lot receiving the shelled corn, oil meal, alfalfa, and silage. The lot where gluten feed replaced part of the corn gave pracically the same results as the check lot. The results of this experiment strengthens the advisibiliay of making large use of farm grown feeds with the addition of oil or cotton seed meal for fattening cattle.—W. H. Smith.

ATTENTION K. OF P.
Favorite lodge No. 376 Knights of Pythias, will hold ceremonies Monday evening to dedicate an honor roll and service flag for members who are in the service. All members of the order and their friends are invited to be present. Rev. M. L. Pontius will deliver the main address. Committee.

ARRIALS FROM NEARBY TOWNS

Lynnville—Walter Fearneyhough, W. C. Bawlings, Robert Coates and wife, Prince Coates and wife, William Fearneyhough, Wiley Todd, Chas. Potter, James Ranson, Oliver Coultas and wife, George Sturdy, Arch McKinney.

Point—James Mason and wife, Albert Richardson and wife, W. G. Richardson, John Vasey, Henry Richardson, Chas. Smith, Godfrey Tendick.

West of City—Michael Cleary, Albert Leach, Watson Leck, Henry Kitner, John Stewart, Thomas Graves and wife

North of City—James Martin, Charles Black, Cortes Hughes, Abe Reid, Hardin Clark, A. C. Reed.

Arcadia—A. E. Daniels; Walter Huston and wife, John Kennedy, J. J. Clark, Thos. Deatherage.

Joy Prairie—John Moss, John Hadden, Carl Martin, Edward Joy and wife, Samuel Challiner, Herbert Challiner.

Markham—Louis Perbix, Allinson Thomason, Fred Ranson, William Sargent.

Alexander—W. W. Robertson and wife, J. B. Corrington and wife, Mrs. J. M. Thompson, Mrs. Henry Weiss, C. M. Strawn and wife, James Smith, George Wackerle, George Ruble, Milton Ruble, John Snyder, J. W. Foster and wife, Samuel Ruble, Frank Foster.

Pisgah—W. H. Mosely, Luther Crawford, Edward Barrows, A. A. Curry, Fred Craven, Riley Spienhower, E. T. Sample; George Wood and wife, Harrison Davenport, George Beekman and wife, William Beekman and wife, Squire J. B. Beekman.

Southeast of City—W. A. Reed, Lester Reed, R. Y. Gibson, R. S. Wood, Robert Rook and wife, Edward Hembrough, Ralph Reynolds.

Asbury — Frank Hembrough, Carl Hembrough, Charles Watson, Charles Saylor, Henry Trotter, Edward Reynolds, James Helliwell.

Woodson—William Craig, J. W. McAllister, William Mortimer, Thomas Lonergan, Jesse Butler, William Rook, Fred Kitner, John Shelton, John Wilkson, Louis Wall, Richard Butler, P. J. Crotty, Thomas Casey, R. Megginson, George Craig, Samuel Henry, William Megginson, Henry Reese, Robert Rook.

East of City—I. N. Bennett, Thomas Reynolds and wife, Charles Dodd and wife, Clifton Corrington.

Antioch—Scott B. Green and wife, Gregg Tindall and wife, Frank Mathews, William Walbaum, Edward Coe, William Baxter, Carl West, George Orear and wife.

Orleans — William Davenport, Harold Strawn and wife, James Dobyns, Clyde Cox, Clark Stevenson and wife, F. E. Drury and wife, Henry Stewart, Mrs. Clyde Cox, Iven Cox, Ernest Walters.

Arnold—Marcus Hulett, J. W. Arnold, George Holley, John Holley, Robert Hamilton, Edward Cunningham, Frank Devine, Edward Tindall, Earl Lukeman and wife, Jas. Cunningham.

Meredosia — William Beauchamp, William Roegge, Henry Deppe.

Sinclair—Al Waterfield and wife, George Wheeler, Walter Wheeler and wife, T. U. Fox, Earl Bourne, Richard Robinson, James Mahon, Thomas Fitzpatrick, Crit Hainline, E. E. Hart, George Swain, Arthur Swain, J. C. Swain, George Waggoner, Wm. Lacey and Edgar Cully.

Strawn's Crossing — Henry Strawn and wife, Frank Green and wife, William Wilding, Charles Curtis, Edgar Cully and wife, Howard Cully and wife, Homer Cully and wife, James Halligan.

Northeast of City — Frank Wingler, James Baker, Ed O. Green, William C. Clary, Calvin Lawson, David Foster, Larry Flynn, Irvin Patterson.

Murrayville—Thomas McGraw, Edward Rea.

Franklin—Mrs. Steven Seymour, Samuel Hembrough, J. G. Cowell.

Pisgah — Barton Buchanan, Thomas Buchanan.

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WOMAN'S CLUB HEARD INTERESTING TALK

At the meeting of the Woman's club held in Academy hall Saturday afternoon C. E. Bradbury at the head of the department of Art of the University of Ilinois gave an interesting lecture on "Camouflage in War."

Mr. Bradbury illustrated his address with steroptican views and chalk sketches and it proved not only of great interest but carried educational value as well. Many of the slides were of scenes at the front in France and brought the war and its horrors home vividly to the audience. The machine was operated by Miss Anne Stevenson.

The meeting was opened in a fitting manner with prayer by the Rev. W. E. Collins. The regular business session was first held and the club voted to give $25 toward the purchase of the cutting machine for the Red Cross to use in cutting surgical dressings material. It also was announced that the club had covered its apportionment of twenty-five cents per capita which will amount to about $100 for the War Recreation Fund.

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WILSON SMITH IN INTERESTING WORK

Wilson M. Smith, owner and editor of the Waverly Journal who is now in army Y. M. C. A. work, is located at Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio. In a recent letter to a Jacksonville friend Mr. Smith states that he has charge of the publicity department at the camp, editingg the Y. M. C. A. page in the camp newspaper and furnishing material to the central publicity department of the army Y. M. C A in Chicago

He also send out news stories to various Ohio newspapers

This publicity work in connection with the Y. M. C. A. is accounted very important as in this way the people are kept in touch with the progress of the Y. M. C A. work and learn from the "human interest" stories something about how much the organization means to the men in camp.

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LEO SUITER WRITES LETTER FROM FRANCE

Word Received By Parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Suiter Says Young Man Is In Good Health and Enjoying Work

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Mr. and Mrs. J. B Suiter,
333 Franklin Street.

Dear Parents -

Received your letter a few days ago, was sure glad to receive it. We are having real spring weather now and is sure great. How is the weather there now? I think I'm lucky in missing a cold winter don't you. Well I am getting along he best kind and emjoying the service fine.

I now belong to the air service orchestra. We don't do as well as our orchestra back home but we do fairly well by not having any music. We play mostly all popular music. we have twenty instruments and a piano i played for a big dance the first of the week at another post, had a fine time and plenty of good eats. Besides the orchestra we have a band composed of boys of this camp and they do fine

Have been keeping pretty busy now-a-days and there is always something going on in the evening at the "Y" or A. R. C., I am putting quite a bit of my time studying the subject they are teaching back home in the Ayers Bank Bldg., or in other words, Wireless. I sure like it fine and feel as if I am going to make a sucess of it.

I am sending you a copy of the Plane News which is published here in this camp.

Well there isn't much more to say, so will close.

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Private Leo E. Suiter,
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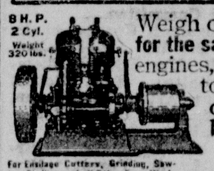
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ALLEGED FAKER ARRESTED SATURDAY

Boy Claiming to Be Deaf and Dumb Taken While Begging in West Part of City—Local Deaf Citizens Believe He is an Imposter.

Saturday morning the police received word that a boy claiming to be deaf and dumb was begging in the west part of the city.

An officer was sent out and brought the boy to the police station. Here search revealed that he had collected $2 in small change. All he had was a letter written in pencil on ordinary note paper. The letter said in effect that the bearer was deaf and dumb and could neither read nor write and did not know the sign language. It closed by asking assistance, but had no name signed to it.

Chief Davis and other officers tried to make the boy talk and tried to communicate with him by writing and the sign language. All efforts were unavailing.

Saturday afternoon Fred Schoneman, housefather at the State School for the Deaf, Alfred Anderson, Ben Carter and A. B. Read, all well known deaf residents of the city visited the police station to see the boy.

All of these made every sign they could think of to the boy. They also wrote communications and did everything possible to ascertain his name. However, he gave no indication of understanding any sign or effort made.

However, these men, who have had considerable experience with people of this character, are of the opinion that the boy is a faker. They believe that he is sent out by someone else who lives on the fruits of the boy's labors. All of them say that it is hardly possible that a boy could reach the age of 16 years, which seems to be about his age, without learning in some manner to tell his name and to communicate in some manner with other people.

It is well known that deaf and dumb people do not approve of of begging and it is seldom that a bonafide mute is ever seeking charity. Local deaf and dumb citizens have always made it a point to emphasize the fact, that if any deaf or dumb person is in need of assistance and deserving of it they will always receive it by applying to the proper source. They have always discouraged begging and are of the opinion that anyone who wants work can find it.

Chief Davis after having the above named men try to get something out of the boy locked him in a cell. He is at present undecided what to do with him. However, he will endeavor to prove whether he is a faker before releasing him and also to find out who is back of him for the Chief also is sattisfied that the boy is begging for someone else.

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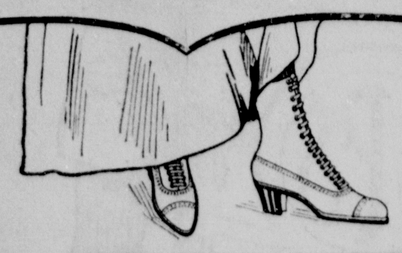
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GRACE CHURCH WOMEN ORGANIZE FOR WORK

Officers and Comittees for Pastor's Aid Society Are Named.

At a recent meeting of the Pastor's Aid Society of Grace church the following ladies were elected officers for the year 1918:

President—Mrs. Thomas J Pitner.

First Vice President—Mrs. George E. Baxter.

Second Vice President—Mrs. John R. Davis.

Third Vice President—Miss Nettie Orear.

Recording Secretary — Mrs. Percy G. Capps.

Corresponding Secretary—Miss Ida Lee.

Treasurer—Miss Mary Wadsworth.

Chairmen of the Circles are as follows:

Mrs. E. C. Lambert, Number 1.
Mrs. G. E. Baxter, Number 2.
Mrs. Edward Bowe, Number 3.
Mrs. Grant Graff, Number 4.
Mrs. R. Shoemaker, Number 5
Mrs. J. J. Reeve, Number 6.

The following committees were appointed:

Sacramental Commitee — Mrs. W. J. Moore, Chairman; Mrs. A T. Capps, Mrs. Ralph I. Dunlap.

Welcome Commitee—

Mrs. S. O. Shuff, chairman; Miss Ida Lee, Mrs. R. S. Nelson. Mrs. C. E. Wiliamson, Mrs. Elisha Fox, Mrs. C. N. Priest, Mrs. R. A. Gates, Mrs. E. K. Towle, Mrs. H. D. Atkins, Mrs. C. C. Jeffries, Mrs. Lydia Roach, Mrs. LaRue. Mrs. Nebold, Miss Mary Martin, Miss Idella Walton.

Patriotic and Needlework Committee—

Mrs. F. H. Rowe, chairman; Mrs. J. R. Davis, Mrs. J. F. Berry, Mrs. Edward Woodman, Mrs. Wm. Barr Brown, Mrs. Catherine Tunison, Mrs. Robert Shoemaker.

Altar Committee—

Mrs. Charles C. Capps, chairman; Mrs. O. P. Thompson, Miss Marion Capps. Mrs. Stuart Russel, Miss Milicent Rowe, Miss Mary Wadsworth, Miss Ethel Wylder.

Domestic Committee—

Miss Elizabeth Groves, chairman; Mrs. S. W. Black, Mrs. John Reid, Mrs. Edw. Williamson, Mrs. Spires, Mrs. Robert Clayton, Mrs. Arthur Henderson, Miss Ida Lee, Miss Laura Fox.

Membership Committee—

Mrs. A. B. Applebee, chairman, Mrs. H. A. Perrin, Mrs. Frank Taylor, Mrs. Charles Lent, Mrs. W. B. Rogers, Mrs. Charles Hopper, Mrs. W. F. Brown, Mrs. Ogram.

Philanthropy Committee—

Mrs. J. I. Graham, chairman; Mrs. F. B. Madden, Mrs. T. V. Hopper, Miss Nettie Orear, Miss Ara Vaught, Miss Alma Gillett, Miss Amy DeMotte.

Hospitality Committee—

Mrs. E. D. Herald, chairman; Mrs. M. E. Gilbert, Mrs. G. E. Baxter, Mrs. J. J Reeve, Mrs J R Harker, Mrs Nelson McMurphy, Mrs E. L. Hill, Mrs. W. A. Baumgartner, Mrs. H. C. Woltman, Mrs. Clarence Reid, Mrs. E. C. Roach, Mrs. J. I. Graham, Mrs. Clarence York.

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HIGHWAY COMMISSIONERS AND CLERKS ORGANIZE

With a view to improving the highways of Morgan county, comparing notes and in general making themselves more useful in their respective locations, the highway commissioners and clerks of the county called a meeting at the court house yesterday to effect a permanent organization. There was a fairly good attendance and various matters were informally discussed and it was decided to effect a permanent organization to meet regularly and promote the interest of the highways of our county. After considerable deliberation the following officers were elected:

President—L. V. Baldwin.
Vice president—Al Jewsbury.
Secretary-treasurer — Dennis Whalen.

The meetings are to be held the second Saturday of each month and much good is expected to come from the organization.

SEE THE NEW COATS AT HERMAN'S.

INJUNCTIONS ISSUE IN LIQUOR CASES

Judge Smith Granted Papers at Hearing Held in Springfield Saturday—Rigid Rules Laid Down for Conduct of Defendants.

In Springfield Saturday Judge E. S. Smith granted injunctions sought to issue in the Jacksonville liquor cases. These injunctions apply to Walter Haxton and wife, Erie Lamb and wife, Konrad Bros., Louis Freitag, Reisch Brewing Co., Phil Grant and certain employes at the Douglas. The injunctions are in a form to cover not only the persons who are charged with the illegal sale of liquor but also the places whereby they have been operating.

By the terms of this injunction the men and women are prohibited from storing liquor or selling it in the buildings they have been occupying or in any other place in Morgan county. They cannot even keep liquor on their premises for alleged private use, because they have by alleged wrong doing forfeited this right. The injunction will hold unless dissolved after argument and evidence have been presented to the circuit court. As previously indicated, the bills for injunction were brought in the name of Attorney General Brundage and State's Attorney Carl E. Robinson and were granted by Judge Smith after brief argument.

Same Form Used Elsewhere

These injunctions are lengthy in form and of the same kind used by Assistant Attorney General Middlekauf in his clean up work in Madison county and in a number of localities thruout the state. The violation of injunction will be an act in contempt of court and it is not at all likely that any of the accused will attempt illegal liquor selling while the injunction stands. Judged by action taken under similar circumstances it will be difficult for the accused to have the injunction dissolved.

A hearing on the motion to take such action will be before the circuit court and without a jury. State's Attorney Robinson said last night that the attorney general's office is entirely of the opinion that this is a very effective method of combatting illicit liquor selling and that this opinion is based on the experience of the office. John M. Butler is attorney for Mr. and Mrs. Haxton and Louis Freitag and appeared in court Saturday and Paul Samuell is attorney for Phil Grant.

PLENTY OF ATTRACTIVE NEW SPRING AND SUMMER LADIES' READY TO WEAR GARMENTS AND MILLINERY ARRIVING DAILY AT HERMAN'S.

CENTERVILLE UNIT ORGANIZED BY WOMEN

Party from Jacksonville Drove Down Saturday to Inaugurate Work—Registration Classification Here.

The listing and filing committee of women working under direction of the Council of National Defense for the registration of women, was at work at the public library Saturday afternoon. During the hours from 2:30 to 5 o'clock the women accomplished the final distribution of a large number of cards, classifying them acording to their qualifications for special lines of work. Mrs. W. P. Duncan, chairman of the registration committee, last night stated that the work of completing the registraion records is well in hand and the final reports will probably be ready by April 19.

Saturday a party went from Jacksonville to organize a Centerville unit of women's work under the Council of Defense. Women in that precinct have been for some time desirous of having the work inaugurated and therefore a meeting was held at West Point school house for that purpose. The party from Jacksonville included Mrs. W. P. Duncan, Mrs. J. Parker Doan, Dr. Grace Dewey and Lieut. and Mrs. Paul Strawn. Mrs. Duncan completed the registration work and Mrs. Doan explained the food conservation program. Lieut. Strawn talked informally to the men who were in the assemblage, telling them some interesting facts about army life and the needs of the soldiers.

The Centerville unit was organized by the selection of Mrs. Effie Mansfield as chairman, Mrs. James Stillwell as seeretary, and Miss Edna L. Branom as chairman of the conservation committee. Work in this precinct is now considered well under way and there is no doubt about the interest of the women.

HENRY WILLIAMSON OF CONCORD IS MAN TO GET 60TH BUICK

Hereafter Henry Williamson of Concord precinct will ride about the country in a fine, new Buick 6 bought yesterday of Howard Zahn, local distributor.

SOME STOCK SALES.

J. W. McAllister, the veteran stock dealer of Woodson, bought of Martin Joyce 11 cattle; G. W. Brown, 8; George Winter, 5; Wilbur Fitzsimmons, 2; F. E. McCurley, 12; M. Doolin, 2; all weighing from 800 to 1300 lbs. and costing from 9 to 13c.

He bought hogs as follows: from Martin Joyce, 14; from C. M. Seymour, 2; Charles Irlam 7; George Newmon, 7; W. H. Crain, 14; Amos McCurley, 15; James Breckon, 4; Oliver Angelo, 4 and Herbert Riggs, 25; paying from 14 to 17c.

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CORPORAL WM. EADS WRITES FROM CAMP

Mr. and Mrs. George Eads Receive Letter Telling of Tragic Event at Camp Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eads of South West street yesterday received a letter from their son, Corporal William J. Eads at Camp Taylor, telling of the untimely death of Col. Guthrie, commanding officer of the 309th Engineers at the cantonment, and also something of his impressions of the funeral procession.

An excerpt of the letter is given herewith:

Another important and rather sad thing happened here Monday was the death of Col. Guthrie, commanding officer of the 309th Engineers' regiment He had been in poor health for quite a while, but had been at the base hospital only since last Friday and died about 2 o'clock Monday morning. I stayed in town Sunday night and when I came out Monday morning I noticed the post flag at half staff and knew by that that some officer was dead, but didn't learn who it was until I got to the office. That evening Dennis and I went to town for supper and on our way to the street car line here in camp saw one of the most touching sights that I have been privileged to look upon since I came down here. The base hospital, where Col. Guthrie died, is near the car line and when we were about half way there we saw the funeral procession coming up thru the camp from the hospital. We stopped at one of the canteens and waited to see the procession, which was one of the most impressive funeral processions I have ever seen. First came about six mounted officers of the Engineers regiment followed by the regimental band playing a funeral march. The band leader was carrying a baton draped with black crepe and the bass and snare drums were draped with the same material. Following the band were several companies of engineers, fully armed and marching at slow time. In the center of this column were the national and regimental colors flying to the breeze. Following these troops came the catafalque, which consisted of the casket placed on a gun carriage drawn by six black horses. The casket was draped with an American flag and a man was mounted on each of the off-horses. After this catafalque came the colonel's horse led by an officer. The horse was covered with black from its nose to its tail, and carried an empty saddle, with the boots of the deceased officer in the stirrups and the stirrups reversed. The dead officer's saber was also attached to the saddle. Following this came some automobiles, one of which was the commanding general's and in which were two officers, a little boy and a woman, whom I suppose were the colonel's widow and son. The procession wended its way slowly thru camp and into Louisville where the casket was placed on a train and taken to West Point, N. Y., for burial.

ATTENTION K. OF P.

Favorite lodge No. 376 Knights of Pythias, will hold ceremonies Monday evening to dedicate an honor roll and service flag for members who are in the service. All members of the order and their friends are invited to be present. Rev. M. L. Pontius will deliver the main address. Committee.

ANNUAL CONCERT OF MADRIGAL CLUB.

On Thursday evening, April 18th the Madrigal club of the Illinois Woman's College will give its annual concert. They will be assisted by the College orchestra under the direction of Mr. Stearns, Florence Pierron Hartmann Contralto, Rena M. Lazelle soprano, Norman Campbell baritone and Bertha M. Walker, violinist.

Among the works programmed is the "To Music" by Schubert, the first movement of the "Concerto for Violin and Orchestra" by Mendelssohn and "At the Cloister Gate" by Grieg, with soprano and alto solos, chorus for women's voices, orchestra, organ and harp.

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The ladies met and organized an aid society with the following officers: President, Rinda Harris; Vice president, Mrs. Eva Tindall; Treasurer, Mrs. Eva Hulett; Secretary, Mrs. Nellie Rice.

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Paul Kellar who is with the sea battery at Camp Logan, near Houston, Texas, is in the city a day or two to visit his grandmither, Mrs. Howard. He says he has been in camp a long time but their equipment is short and there is no telling when they will get away. He speaks in high praise of general conditions in camp.

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aracters all Did Splendid Work —Performance Witnessed by a Large Audience.

Our neighboring town of Meresia can certainly claim some ung people of superior order dramatic talent judging by the esentation Friday evening a olesome play entitled "The Old ken Bucket." It is a rural tale ntaining characters true to life, t overdrawn and true to life. e performance was managed by of. W. W. Jarman, principal the public schools and Miss rma Perbix, teacher in the high hool. The play was given in the y Opera house and many were rned away for lack even of anding room. The stage setting as very good, the properties ell managed and all went well without hitch or halt.

The play contains many humorous and pathetic situations and all were fully appreciated by the audience which was generous in its applause throughout. The members of the company entered fully into the spirit of the characters they took and lost their own identity and until they spoke many of them would hardly have been recognized so fully did they look the part taken and their that they were hardly distinguishvoices were also so well disguised able. Unfortunately Prof. Jarman was taken sick a short time before the play was to be given but his place was capably taken by a young man who did the part admirably.

It is simply impossible to comment on each character as it merits warrant, suffice to say there were absolutely no sticks in the cast and this is said deliberately without any attempt at fulsome flattery or half merited praise. The old fashioned country dance was superb. The music was a particularly attractive feature of the performance, the orchestra, doing its part well while a number of songs which were interspersed wer also admirably done as were several instrumental numbers and a number of recitations.

Witnessing the performance one was quickly transported to the home of the honest old farmer where the well known characters of a rural community are to be found; the old fashioned head of the family, his gawky son, his confiding, credulous wife, the young man of sturdy character, the charming, vivacious, mischievious ward of the old man, her sister, sweet, charming and true, the village gossip, the village belle, the uncharitable neighbor and wife, the artist wolf in sheep's clothing, the awkward country unsuccessful lover, the postmaster who reads the cards and the preacher who effects reconciliation. All were admirably portrayed and each deserves an extended notice if space permitted.

Cast of Characters

The following was the cast of characters:

Reuben Hardacre, a square, honest old farmer...Henry Orr
Tom, his son, a chip off the old block.....A. H. Unland
Arthur Ames, true blue .....Russell Brockhouse
Mark Hayward, a wolf in sheep's clothing.Frank Skinner
Jake Thompson, in love with Teddy, "Not Wisely but Too Well".....Henry Naylor
Mr. G. Whillikins, a neighbor.....W. W. Jarman
Ezry Babb, the Postmaster who reads postal cards .....Raymond Scott
Rev. Wm. Mason, the peace maker .....Fred Deppe
Martha Hardacre, Reuben's wife loved everybody .....Leta Schaefer
Lizzie Lawrence, the light of Uncle Reuben's eyes .....Gweneth Chenoweth
Emily Lawrence—otherwise known as Teddy—the sunshine of the household .....Bernice Skinner
Sapphira Scriggins, the village gossip.....Estella Pond
Mrs. G. Whillikins, very proper but not very charitable.....Norma Perbix
Mira Jones, the village belle .....Esther Yeakel

MRS. VALERIA TEELE DIED AT WAVERLY

Had Been Resident of Waverly for Many Years—Other News Notes of Interest.

Waverly, Ill., April 13.—Mrs. Valeria Teele died at 3 o'clock a. m. Saturday at the home of her son Charles in this city from stomach trouble. She had spent the greatest portion of her life in the vicinity of Waverly. She was a member of the First M. E. church. Surviving are three children, Charles and Mrs. George Jones of Waverly and Mrs. Joseph Harding of Emporia, Kansas. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

Ralph Rodgers who is stationed at Camp Dodge, Des Moines, Ia., came home Friday to attend the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stockdale of Auburn spent Friday visiting relatives here.

Mrs. W. H. Moulton left Thursday for her home in Cedar Rapids, Ia., having spent several weeks visiting relatives here.

Miss Helen Martin of Auburn came Friday for a few days visit with relatives here.

W. M. Berry has gone to Peoria where he will receive training for special service in airplane machine work.

Mrs. W. M. Smith went to Evansville, Ind., to attend a convention of supervisors of public school music.

Mrs. Charles Mader is visiting relatives in Jacksonville.

Lester Wemple of New York is visiting his father, Edward Wemple.

Mrs. William Andrews has gone to Dow to visit her sister, Mrs. Charles Harlan, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. J. J. Cody has gone to Mt. Sterling for a few days visit with relatives.

Mrs. Marian Mitchell of St. Louis is visiting at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Frances Deatherage.

The annual concert of the Waverly Concert Band will be held Thursday evening, April 25 at the high school auditorium.

INTERESTING ITEMS FROM NAPLES

News Notes of Interest From Naples and Vicinity.

Naples, April 13.—Mrs. Louis Preston of Pekin, was visiting with relatives here this week.

Mrs. James Chambers' mother, Mrs. Lawson, of Pekin, is here for a short stay and looking after her residence property. She has almost completely recovered from her recent paralytic stroke. Mrs. James Northcutt of Alsey, an old friend spent one day with her during the week.

The High school department of our schools gave a tafeteria social in Ritter-Graybel hall Friday night. The graduating class had it in charge. The proceeds go into the local chapter's Red Cross fund.

Mrs. Robert Jackson who has been so ill for several weeks is now slowly recovering.

Miss Mae Price of Oxville, is the proud possessor of a new piano, the gift of her father, Henry Price.

Mrs. William Lambert and two little sons are up from St. Louis to spend the summer as usual. She has taken furnished rooms with Mrs. Josephine Hatfield.

The funeral of little five year old Stanley Woodrow Frey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Frey of southeast of Jacksonville, occurred Monday afternoon at 2:30 in the Naples cemetery, Rev. Haas officiating. The remains were brought overland in automobile by Undertaker Cody. Misses Norma Abrams and Lela Hatfield rendered sweet songs at the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waters of Hulls, were in town Sunday on their way to Bloomfield to attend the funeral of the venerable Henry Gregory of near that place. The old gentleman was 90 years and almost six months old.

Mrs. C. E. Quintal has recovered sufficiently from a severe attack of quinsy to be able to be up and around some.

Rev. and Mrs. Haas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Price of Oxville, Wednesday. A delicious dinner had big place on the program of the day.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hale of Chicago a guest for some time at the home of her son Frank, left this week to visit a son in Jacksonville before returning home.

Mrs. Frank Mappin of Valley City, was with friends here a part of this week.

The Smith-Hupp elevator shelled and loaded out a large lot of corn this week.

Henry Gregory, member of Uncle Sam's forces in training at Camp Taylor, Ky., held "ticket of leave" to spend a few days with relatives here this week.

Carl Ritter, Mrs. Minnie Pine, Miss Beulah Hatfield and Harry Chambers formed an auto party to attend the Al G. Field minstrels at Jacksonville Friday evening.

The funeral services over the remains of Philander Sears of Oxville, was held from the Methodist church there Thursday morning at eleven o'clock, Rev. Geo. E. Haas officiating. Misses Norma Abrams and Lela Hatfield of Naples, assisted the choir and sang as solos two favorite songs of the deceased. Mr. Sears was born, raised and lived all his life in the Oxville precinct. He was a man of excellent character, his word considered as good as his bond. He was aged almost 68 years old and died from cancer of the stomach. He leaves a wife, one brother, Hiram Sears, five nephews, two nieces and a host of friends. The services were very largely attended, Naples, Bluffs and Exeter were represented. The floral offerings were very beautiful. The interment was had in the Seres cemetery, north of Oxville where a short service was held, Misses Abrams and Hatfield beautifully rendering "I am a Child of the King."

Will Hamilton delivered several hundred bushels of corn to the elevators this week at $1.50 per.

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CONSERVATORY NOTES

The open meeting of the Phi Omega Society will take place next Tuesday evening, April 16th, in Recital Hall. The public is cordially invited to attend. The program will be as follows:

Current Events—Lucille Baker.
Piano solo—Ellen McCurley.
Violin duet—Mabel Forrester, Helen Sorrells.
Vocal solo—Mary Elizabeth Pribe.
Paper, "Music After the War"—Robert Shoemaker.
Pianolog—Lillian Kennedy.

The Glee Club, under the direction of Mrs. Wilson, will sing at the College Chapel on Illinois Day, Monday, April 15th.

Willard Wesner is singing with the quartet in the Christian church Sunday, April 14th.

Catherine Carter sang some solos, and Hugh Wilson played violin at a Sunday school social held in the Congregational church Friday evening, April 12th.

Robert Shoemaker sang at the meeting of the National Guild of Organists at the Woman's College Thursday evening, April 1.

A patriotic song, "On With the Flag, Boys!" composed by Isabelle Fox, student of composition under Mr. Kritch, has been published by a Cincinnati firm.

Mr. Walter Friedrichs, formerly a student under Mr. Kritch in violin and theory, and at present superintendent of public school music in Milwaukee, visited with Mr. Kritch on Saturday, April 13th.

Several members of the faculty are planning to attend the concert given in Springfield next Wednesday evening, April 17th, by the Russian Symphony Orchestra, of New York.

There will be a students' recital next Saturday afternoon, April 20th, in Recital Hall, at 3 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend

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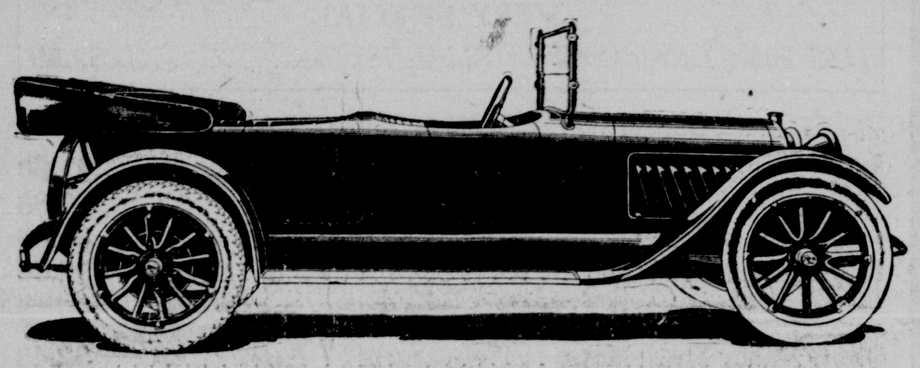
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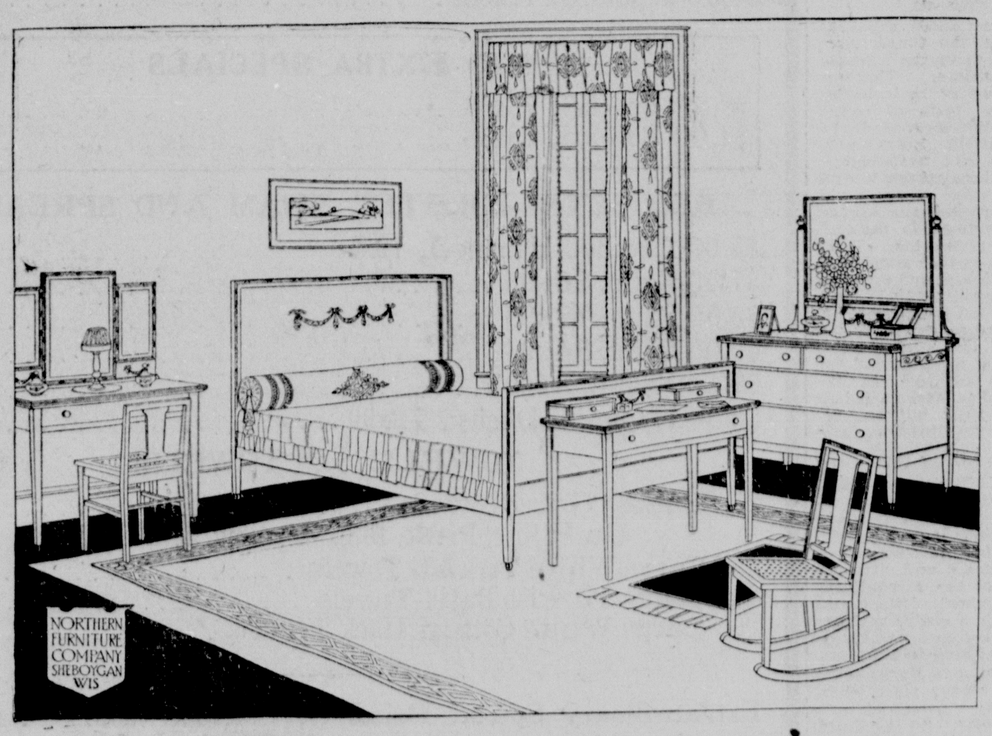
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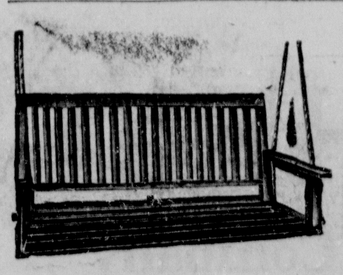
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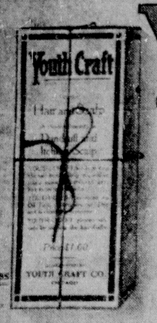
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EXPLAINS PURPOSE OF ORGANISTS GUILD

Lecture Given by Albert Cotsworth at Public Service of American Organists Guild at Woman's College—Purpose is to Attain Higher Standard of Service.

If you have done any wondering before you came here this evening it was probably as to what the American Guild of Organists stands for and why it gives these services. To talk to you just a little about such things I come. It is one of the fine things about a good topic that you cannot exhaust it. I do not plan to plumb the depths or scale the full heights and I shall stop contentedly when my time is up, being very glad if I can touch to your satisfaction just the outer edges of the relation of the guild to its members, and members to each other—leaving for the future the relation of the members to those whom they serve and the wide fields of obligation—the religious service.

You may have figured out that our organization is another of the many societies which add to the intricacies of life in this 20th century of ours. But a Guild is something a little different from an association or a society. Perhaps the distinction is finely drawn, but it is there. We do know that guilds were originally formed for trade protection and promotion. For that reason they may be spoken of as the first Trusts or combinations of trade. And we do know that the crafts took up the idea and formed companion organizations. Thereby they became the first labor unions. But I think that the word craft, is what differentiates them from either our modern trusts, or our labor unions. Because the guilds were formed to make their trades and crafts better—not to extort larger profits or higher wages. That's why we feel that there is a certain distinction in the word—a sort of defined clarity of high purpose, fine aims—these perhaps idealistic in their tone. And—in the best sense a guild is a bit exclusive—just as the makers of Wedgewood and Sevres and Rookwood pottery are exclusive, because of rarely designed patterns and the most skillful of artisans to carry out the visions of the designers. Membership in a guild then, whether of mercers, potters, or silversmiths meant selection—the possession of merit that could pass examinations, measure up to standards, had ambitions and ideals.

Inception of Guilds.

Arts and crafts usually go together. Therefore it was not surprising that the singing clubs became guilds also. Truth to tell, the musicians really kept the animating spirit alive, long after progress had made the old Guilds unnecessary, or at least impracticable, and these made way for other forms of intercourse in the business world. Quickly the minds of musicians will recall how Wagner has seized the picturesqueness, and preserved the rugged sentiment, as well as the story of the tournaments of song of the Guildsmen, in his operas of Tannahauser and Meistersinger of Nuremberg. How these Guilds inaugurated friendly competition among themselves, to keep up interest and arouse stimulant. How they came together to strive in tests of skill for prizes. How they prepared and strove mightily. And how the best preparation for competition meant moral and personal discipline, as well as technical skill. How Beckmesser lost because of his trickery and treachery. How Tannhauser's song was impure, because he had allowed himself to become contaminated by bad company, and he thus grow impure. A thrilling contrast is in the exalted motive of Wolfram's song in praise of love and the wild lawlessness, and incohercence, of Tannhauser's reckless, abandoned mood. And there is a noble, sturdiness to the Meistersinger theme which accompanies the stately procession of those men in that opera, conscious of their obligation to sound high, earnest motives in song and action.

Love of Work Keynote.

In some such way the A. G. O., as we affectionately denominate the American Guild of Organists, seeks to include in its ranks all of those who love and honor their craft and study and train for every helpful influence which shall make them stronger, more worthy workers in its body.

Mr. R. Cole said recently in an address that he was glad that when, in 1896, the organists of the United States decided to follow the trend of the times, and unite themselves in body corporate, it was deemed wise to call the welding into union a guild, instead of a club, or association or a society, or bound together to better and improve their trades and crafts, and not primarily, to make larger profits or secure higher wages.

A short time ago I stood in Carpenters Hall in Philadelphia, and learned how, in a time of real need a guild was enabled to befriend the United States. For the first Continental Congress did not meet in that Independence Hall where afterward was promulgated the Declaration of Independence, but in a building used by a Carpenters society as a meeting place for their social and business matters.

In that spot there is a graphic picture of how these first legislators relied upoh God, for guidance, as well as aid. For a good Episcopalian clerkman, in his robes is kneeling before the desk whereon rests the gavel on its stone slab, and all about are kneeling figures, as well as reverent standing Presbyterians, and the Quakers with their wide brimmed hats, on their heads. Away for both arts and crafts usually go together.

Thus naturally the singing socities took up the idea and applied the name of Guild to their groups, and it is perhaps to this fact that the title musically still remains.

For, in due time, business life adopted new forms to meet new conditions, and left the Guild idea for the purely ideal or social foregathering.

The picturesqueness of Guild life and ideal is preserved in the operas of Wagner, "Tannhauser" and "Meistersinger."

Test One of Fitness.

In the first Guilds the people came together because they were anxious to excel in craft or trade. Admission to membership meant submitting to a test as to fitness, ability, talent, or ambition. In the last analysis, membership meant men set apart by reason of special skill and merit. And, to keep alive that spirit of aspiration the Artisan Guilds inaugurated and fostered tests of skill. Those who entered the lists were expected to prepare mightily for the contest. It meant moral and spiritual discipline to strive for honor in these tournaments. And honors won meant a certain eminence for the men who acquired them.

Workers could not hope for eminence unless they strove in the contests, won recognition, wore prizes. While time and a new order of things has largely replaced competition with a better word—co-operation, the underlying principle holds good—that men must qualify if they expect to win the high recognitions in any profession or craft.

In the royal sense of the word all workers should be craftsmen, prizing their task as the one they are best fitted for, and surrounding it with every form of ideality, as an incentive towards as lofty a place as their limitations will alow them to secure. In some such way when therefore, in 1896 the Organists of the United States followed the trend of the times and welded themselves into a body corporate, we were glad that they called their handiwork a Guild instead of a society or even a Brotherhood. The name Guild carried with it the flavor of those tournaments of music depicted in stories and the Wagner operas. It also kept alive the idea of a spirit of comeraderf, as well as emulation. And, as I shall now try to show, to be a bit exclusive too.

Shows Form of Organization.

I like to use analogy in showing our form of organization. In every successful business house you are likely to find, looking down from the wall of some office, the face of a strong, purposeful man, with beard, and collar and tie of some former period of time. He was the founder of the business—the man who either saw far ahead in the beginning, or grasped a big opportunity—when it unexpectedly came along. So the A. G. O., as we affectionately call the American Guild of Organists, has as its highest grade of members the Founders, an able band they were and a list to honor still. There were forty of them in 1896, but time and events are making inroads. Some day they will be only an honored memory—a picture on the wall.

In the business office, under the watchful eye of the founder, are the present heads of the business, the Senior partners. They are there by reason of their having passed certain tests of ability thru service—the severest discipline of preparation. Likewise the A. G. O. has its next highest membership, those whom it calls Fellows.

They have passed the hardest sort of examinations in the horizon of their profession. These tests are what college people call "stiff examinations," and are passed before a board of their peers where they do not ask, do not expect, and do not receive favor. It is the test of the athlete as to his prowess and when passed the honor is worth coveting. In turn these men in time become judges of those who shall later on try for first place, the Guild thus preserving by succession its own board of peers for all time. (Of this list two honored examples, Erb and ———)

Next comes, in the business house, the junior partners, the clever young fellows who have great possibilites, and trusted with a share of the responsibilities, been examined, fitted and trained to fill in a senior partners place when it becomes vacant.

The Great Thing in Life.

The great thing in life is to be ready for the bigger place when it happens along—always or very often unexepctedly. So the Guild has Associate members, those who have passed certain examinations but are not quite ready for the supreme tests.

Then, in the offices, we have that large group of persons who are in the making—every one of them potential for larger things, if they develop or grow along with the institution, work hard, and use aright the opportunities to be found therein. They have a place in the organism because they have been kept there for merits they have, and fully as much for what they may become.

It is seldom the fault of the business, if the man does not grow into something more than the apprentice or postulate or clerk, or what you will. There are, as a rule, more big positions waiting than there are men to fill them or as Daniel Webster said "There's always room at the top." In these ranks, it must always be kindly remembered are those who are handicapped by the late start in life, or the crippling influence of something they are not to be held accountable for. They are content to hold their jobs and let others pass them, and are wise in seeing that they can be useful even when in modest capacity.

The business house appreciates the situation and recognizes

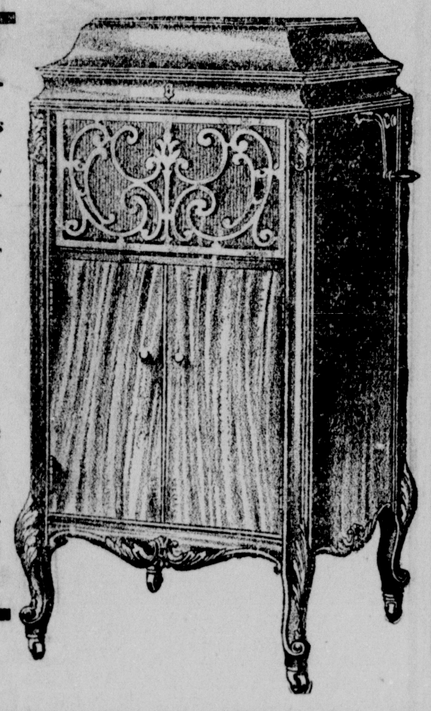
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PLAINS PURPOSE OF ORGANISTS GUILD

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th. In the same way the Guild s a splendid field for service a large group of men and wo- which it calls by the very ful name of colleagues. This does not imply lack of ability to do good work. In all sincerity the Guild calls on all its members to strive for the highest places. It urges and persuades that all try for the examinations, the papers for which it continually presents. It expects every colleague to, in due time, become an Associate or Fellow, much as every clerk in a bank has before him the cashier's or president's chair as the post to try for. It is no fault of the Guild if men do not strive for the first places. But the true test of all eminence is in its democracy.

In the Guild there is no shade of superiority because of success in passing examinations. In the details of working out the affairs of the Guild, the burdens are borne share and share alike by all grades of membership, save in a very few instances. The key note of the A. G. O. is achievement — something attempted, something done. Those who can do the great things are like Longfellow's Three singers—not best in kind but in degree, and membership in the Guild carries with it that mark of distinction which accrues to any person who has shown that he can do some one thing well enough to be selected as a comrade.

Raise Standard of Playing.

The eminent purpose of this Guild is to accent this achievement. It's avowed intent is to raise "the standard of organ playing." Like the Guildsmen of old we come together in tournaments of music such as these, to avow that purpose and endeavor to do what we offer with such seriousness of purpose, fineness and generosity of spirit, forgetfulness of self, and exaltation of the music, and the instrument, that we shall to some at least, seem to practice what we preach. Membership in the A. G. O. to us means an honor, association with those whose desires and ambitions lead them to forget personal interest, plans and desires in fostering and enriching a profession which carries in its folds the loftiest ideality. That is why we are here tonight.

I have been talking as compactly, as I could of but one side of the Guild's interest. I might call it the constructive or physical side—why we belong to the Guild, what it seeks to do for us, and what we try to do for it, and what we hope the manifold interest may do for those whom we seek to serve and interest.

The Higher Purpose.

There is another and still higher purpose which requires its own elucidation and which I can barely touch in closing. Organ playing as a rule means organ music in church, to many of us the very highest mission of music in any sphere. Almost all our ambitions, and plans, and desires center about service in church, and we like to feel of ourselves that, with due reverence and proper spirit, God can use of us for a part of His plan for betterment.

People come to church for a great many reasons— and sometimes for no reasons at all. But sooner or later, in nearly every life, the church portal is passed when a soul needs help that it knows can be found nowhere else but in God's house. And then does music perform its most blessed work of comfort and strengthening. It is because men and women at the organ bench know this, that they feel their need for every source of influence which shall enlarge their natural and acquired powers and give to what they do that spark of divine fire, which can come alone from Infinity. That you may know that the Guild recognizes and values this phase of the organist's task there is presented on the back of each program of our public services an avowal of our reverent desire to meet that portion of our responsibility. I ask you to read this. Perhaps if you have not heretofore given us credit for as much idealism in our work this expression of belief which we so thoroly endorse, and stand for, may give you a clearer view of some of the things we have in our range of vision to be worked toward.

One of the things which is in the undercurrent of our thoughts is to stimulate desire in others to become associated with us. As I have indicated, the prime requisition of membership is that sterling sincerity which achieves something. Its a long long road to Tipperary, and a hard trip on the Wabash for us to come to Jacksonville, much as we enjoy it.

Nothing would please the Guild better than so large a membership in the southern section of the state that a separate chapter should be the outcome. Our ideals and standards should appeal to all sincere organists—and there is an abiding working place in the Guild for every one who is honestly striving.

People are humon, in the Guild as elsewhere—decidedly. You will meet, perhaps, persons who will not measure up to what I have indicated as the ideal member of the Guild. That's all right—it will always be so—must be so, so long as we are built as we are. There are the little rifts in the lute of our friendships. But for the most part, the great service of the Guild, and this we emphasize as of prime importance and put first—has been in the creation of a mutual respect and an increasing regard for each other among its membership, as replacing the former isolation and its consequent attitude of coldness, unfriendliness and a natural indifference.

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BOYS SAVED THE REPUBLIC

Editor Journal:

Wonder if the people today realize that during the civil war the responsibility of saving the Union from destruction rested on the shoulders of mere boys—boys mostly in their teens—boys like you see going to the high school and many still going to the ward whom had started to cultivate a moustache. And the vast majority of them volunteered instead of waiting to be conscripted or drafted. To be drafted was considered a kind of military disgrace. The patriotism of that far off time seems different from the present day article and there seemed more enthusiasm than there is today. Of course conditions today are vastly different from what they were during the sixties. Speaking from personal experience there was no thought of the financial part of the war game and we knew and cared less about how much pay there was in it for us in dollars and cents. We just realized that the flag had been insulted and lowered at Fort Sumpter and that treason and rebellion was abroad in the land; that traitors were seizing government property and defying the constituted authorities, and proclaimed that one son of chivalry was equal to five Lincoln hirelings of the north.

When things got beyond police control Lincoln sounded the tocsin of war calling for 75,000 volunteers to suppress the insurrection. The response to the call was spontaneous and the quota was filled in a jiffy, so to speak. The boys rallied from the shop, the field and the forum with a determination to wipe the insult from the flag that had been trailed in the dust of dishonor at Sumpter.

They gave no thought as to the cause of the war and not one in a thousand had ever read or heard of the Dred Scott decision which was a mighty factor in precipitating the great conflict. The Missouri compromise of 1850 and the Kansas-Nebraska bill of 1854 and the Lincoln-Douglas debate of 1858 were other disturbing elements, all leading up to the explosion which occurred April 12, 1861, when the rebel guns in Charleston harbor were turned on Fort Sumter which was defended by Major Robert Anderson and the garrison of less than 200 regulars.

Lincoln's proclamation on the 15th following the surrender of the fort was a bugle call to the patriotism of the north and the boys got there, and stayed there, till the flag was again hoisted over the same old fort just four years later. But it was a long, bitter, bloody struggle.

The constitution as enumerated by Chief Justice Roger Tany of the superior court of the United States was reversed, meaning that Dred Scott was a human being and entitled to all the privileges embodied in the Declaration of Independence, among which were life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness; that he and his race were no longer common property, such as cattle, hogs, etc., and could not and should not be bought and sold as such. Who brought all this about? Who struck the shackles from 4,000,000 of bondmen and cleansed the flag from the foul stain of human slavery? The boys of the Sixties did it. If you doubt this statement read the following statistics taken from the records of the war department as applying to the Civil war:

There were 104,987 fifteen year old boys, 231,051 sixteen year old boys, 844,891 boys seventeen years old, 1,151,438 eighteen year old boys and a like number under twenty-two years of age. There were instances where the cradle furnished its quota. I know of one soldier who enlisted at the tender age of ten years, ten months and nine days. His name is Lyston D. Howe, of Streator, Illinois. He went in as a drummer boy, enlisting in Co. I, 15th Ill. Infantry, June 5, 1861, and was discharged as a minor Oct. 21, '61, later entering the 55th Illinois Infantry and served till the close of the struggle in 1865. The records show that he was the youngest volunteer among the 2,778,000 comprising the Union army from '61-'65. I mention these things to show the spirit of those heroic days, with no intention of reflecting on the patriotism of today, and with the thought that if the world is saved from the ravages of the Prussian Beast the boys of America will rise to the occasion with the same spirit that actuated the splendid youth of the long ago who made it possible for us to have a united nation today with more than 100,000,000 people beneath the flag we brought back from the sanguinary fields from Sumter to Appomatox, and from the Potomac to the Rio Grande.

There are a few of us left right here who participated in the stirring scenes of those tragic days. All of us are nearing our last sunset and the eternal bivouac is just beyond the hills. Some of us are pretty old and find it difficult to manipulate our implements of locomotion with the vigor of fifty years ago, and our aplomb is a little on the blink, but the spirit is there, and the hope eternal fills our souls that some of us will live to see a monument erected to commemorate the valor of those who died to keep the old flag in the sky and make the word freedom sound with a meaning that meant what it stood for and applicable to all creeds, all races and all colors, regardless of previous condition of servitude.

So today, as then, the hopes of the nation rests on the shoulders of the American youth and they will not fail us now for there is no such word as failure in their lexicon. Inspired by the heroism of the sixties, and the splendid record of the boys of '98, their slogan will be:

"Forever float that standard sheet
Where breathes the foe, but
falls before us,
With freedom's soil beneath our
feet
And freedom's banner stream-
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Yours for Young America,
J. M. Swales.

April 14, 1918.

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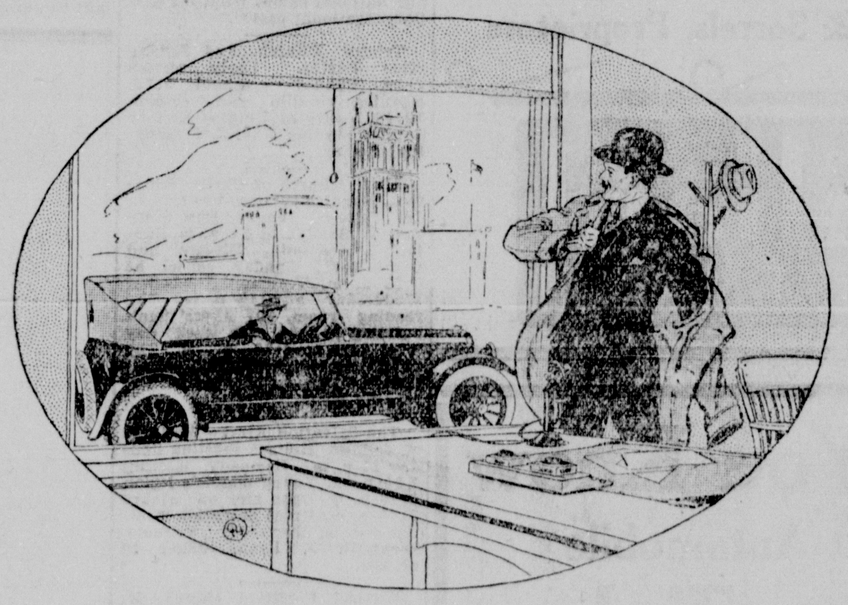
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That's how the Franklin is relieved of excessive dead weight and that inevitably follows—power diverted from mileage and confirmed in dragging the car.

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Second-hand value is especially high where there is this combination of strength, lightness and flexibility, because these things mean economy of operation and long life.

This is emphasized because there is a section of the public that has always associated strength and endurance with excessive weight and rigidity—the very things that pile up operating cost and wear out a car.

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CHURCH SERVICES

First Baptist church—A. A. Todd, pastor. Sermon 10:45. Theme. "Christians the Light of the World." Junior Union 3 p. m. B. Y. P. U. 7 p. m. Topic: "How to Enjoy Sunday" Evening sermon 8 p. m. Theme: "Our Profession of Christ as Savior." Prayer service Wednesday 7.30 p. m. Topic: "God's Will in the Earth" taken from the model prayer. Pastor's Bible class 8:30 p. m. Service at Baptist chapel Sunday 2.30 p. m. and Friday 8 p. m.

Salem Evangelical Lutheran church, East College street—Rev. J. G. Kuppler, pastor. Second Sunday in Lent. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Public worship in German at 10:30 a. m. and in English at 7:30 p. m. The L. W. C. will meet Thursday evening at the school. A cordial welcome to all.

Brooklyn—There will be services both morning and evening. Preaching by the pastor, W. W. Theobald. Subject at 10.45 a. m. "The Call to Volunteer" and at 8 p. m. "The Supreme Sacrifice." Special music Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. J A. Walter, supt. A class for all.

State Street church—R. B. Wilson pastor. 9:30 Sunday school we have good teachers and a most interesting program. Come see for your self. 10:45 Divine services, theme: "Allegiance to God." 7:00 p. m. Young People's meeting, these services are increasing in attendance and interest. 8:00 p. m. Preaching, theme, "The Men Whom God Cursed." The public is invited to all of these services.

Congregational church—Bible school at 9:30. Sermon at 10:45. The annual collection for the Congregational church building society will be taken. No evening service. The Rev. W. Ernest Collins begins his preaching ministry today in the Congregational church. The new pastor has been Civilian Chaplain at the Great Lakes Naval station and resident pastor at the First Congregational church at Waukegan. His subject this morning is "The Task of Modern Ministry." The people of Jacksonville have a rare opportunity of hearing first hand information of the work in our National camps from the new Congregational pastor.

Trinity Church—2nd Sunday after Easter. Early service 7:30. Sunday school 9:15. Morning worship and sermon 10:45. Vestry meeting at Rectory Sunday evening 7.30. J. F. Langton, Rector.

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Regular services are held in dd Fellows' Temple, East State street. Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject: "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real? Sunday school at 0:30 a. m. Testimonial meeting Wednesday at 7:45 p. m. The reading room, 507 Ayers' Bank building is open each week day from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and to visit the reading room.

The Salvation Army—Meetings as follows. Holines meeting Sunday 11 a. m. Company meeting 2.30 p. m. Young people's legion 6:30 p. m. Open air on square 7:30 p. m. Great Salvation meeting 8 p. m. Everybody welcome. Lieut. H. J. Ryan, Officer in charge.

Central Christian church—M. L. Pontius, minister. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Supt. C. L. DePew. Morning worship at 10:45 them of the sermon, "A Little Child Shall Lead Them." Evening service at 8 o'clock. Sermon-subject "A New Heaven and A New Earth." Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Weibl, Messrs. Wesner and Strasser will sing. Endeavor meetings at 7 p. m. Senior Leader, Miss Gertrude Miller, Leader of Intermediates, Palmer Hunt, of the Juniors. Sanford Copp. A cordial invitation is extended to all not worshipping elsewhere.

Grace Methodist Episcopal church—F. B. Madden minister. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Public worship 10.45 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Dr. Kemp, President of the Illinois Wesleyan University will preach both morning and evening. Sermon themes: "The Leader of Tomorrow" and "Lessons From the World Conflict'. Epworth League 7. p. m. Wilbur Rogers, leader. Public cordially invited.

Second Baptist church—H. H. DeWitt pastor. Sunday services 11 a. m. Subject "Waiting to Welcome Jesus." (Luke 8:40.) 8 p. m. Subject "Plant That Garden". (Eccles. 11:1.) 2:30 p. m. Bible school. Mrs. Laura Lafayette, Mrs. Thomas Robinson, Mrs. Albert Moore, Mrs. Fannie Jordan and the pastor will represent the school at the Springfield Teachers Institute at Lincoln the 18th and 19th.

Centenary Methodist church—W. R. Leslie, minister. Sunday school at 9:30. A. C. Metcalf, superintendent. Classes for all. Morning worship at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor on "Breaking UP Your Fallen Ground." This will be a spring time message. Junior League at 7 p. m. Topic "In Honor Preferring One Another." Leader, Secretary J. S. Findley of the City Y. M. C. A. Evening service at 8 p. m. The pastor will preach especially for the young women, his text being, "Lydia, a Seller of Purple." Everybody welcome at all of these services.

Northminster Presbyterian church—Walter E. Spoonts minister. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 8 p. m. The morning subject will be "Christ Requires Loyalty." At the evening service the pastor will continue the series on the Signs of the Times as it relates—The Lost Heritage restored. If you are interested in the Coming of Christ and His restoring the paradise lost, you have a special invitation. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 7 p. m. The session will meet at 3 p.m. and it is very much desired that every elder be present. Prayer meeting on Wednesday night. A hearty welcome to all our services.

Westminster Presbyterian church—Edward B. Landis, pastor. The Sunday school will meet at 9:30. Interesting studies for all classes. W. J. Brady is the superintendent. Morning worship at 10:45. Evening worship at 8 p. m. with sermon by the pastor at each service. Prayer meeting Wednesday. Instead of meeting to sew for the Red Cross the ladies plan to go to the Red Cross room on East State street for special work there in assisting with the surgical dressings on Thursday afternoon.

Second Christian church—Bible school, 9:30 a. m. E. M. Harlis, Supt. Preaching at 11 a. m. Lord's Supper 11:30 a. m. Preaching at 8 p. m., preaching by Rev. I. Parson of Madison, Mo. Rev. Parson is an able minister of the gospel.

Mt. Emory Baptist church—Enos Larkin Scruggs, pastor. Divine worship at 11 a. m and 8 p. m. Subject of the morning sermon, "The Miracle in Cana." At the evening service the pastor will deliver a special message to parents on the topic, "Efficient Parenthood." Parents are urged to hear this sermon. Bible school at 2:30. Mrs. Medora Bryant, superintendent, assisted by Mrs. Pauline Moore in charge of the primary department. A live school for those of every age. B. Y. P. U. meeting at 6:45. Take note of change of hour of eveniny service and be on time. All are welcome to come and worship with us. This is a friendly, home like church.

ILLINOIS COLLEGE NOTES

Friends of the College are cordially invited to the chapel exercises Monday morning. As previously announced, the College will observe at that time the centennial of the passage of the Illinois enabling act. Mr. H. H. Bancroft, the Assistant Director of the Centennial Commission, will speak, and some specila songs will be sung by a quartet and by a chorus of girls. The exercises will be held at 9:30.

President Rammelkamp went to Peoria on Friday to attend the meeting of the Central Division of the Illinois Teachers' Association. Mr. Potter was in East St. Louis on Friday attending the meeting of the Southwestern Division of the State Teachers' Association.

Mr. G. J. Littye, one of the state secretaries of the Y. M. C. A., spent Monday and Tuesday on the campus conferring with the officers of the local college association. A strong effort will be made to send a large delegation to the Geneva conference this summer. Five or six men have already expressed their desire to attend the conference. Several girls will probably attend the conference for college women held later in the summer.

Miss Amanda Wilson, one of the Field Secretaries of the Y. W. C. A., addressed the students at the chapel exercises Monday morning.

The usual devotional meetting will be held at Academy Hall Sunday evening at 6:30

Cards have been received on the campus announcing the wedding of Mr. Levi C. Robinson and Miss Nellie Chandler Moore, on March thirty-first, in Spokane, Washington.

Mrs. R. H. Lacy, wife of Professor Lacy, recently underwent an operation at Passavant hospital. Mrs. Lacy is repidly improving.

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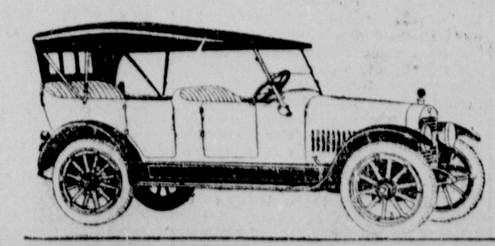
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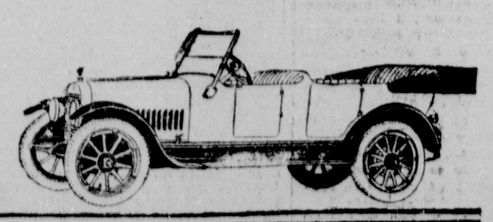
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FOR SALE—S. C. white leghorn eggs. Fred O. Ranson, R. F. D. 1. Bell Phone 965-3. 4-9-6t.

FOR SALE—Vigorous young straw- berry, asparagus, rhubarb plants— delivered. L. N. James, Illinois phone 86. 3-27-tf

FOR SALE—Strawberry plants, D. S. Taylor, Ill. phone 60-86. 3-5-tf

FOR SALE—Good sprouted onion sets 40¢ per peck. Cannon Produce Co. 4-9-tf.

FOR SALE—Modern steam laundry in town of 2800. Apply G. D. Barnes, Manchester, Ill. 4-9-6t.

FOR SALE—Yellow Den tand Iowa Silvermine seed corn; also Holly- brook Soy Beans. W. G. Duckwall, R. No. 2. Bell phone 354-2. 4-14-3t.

SPECIAL SALE—Of good sound cook- ing apples, $1 per bushel delivered. W. S. Cannon Produce Co. 3-22-tf

FOR SALE—High grade single comb Rhode Island Red eggs for setting, 75 cents for 15. F. H. McVey, 322 West Walnut street. 3-5-tf

FOR SALE—5 room cottage on S. main; cheap if sold by May 1st. Care "A. D," Journal. 4-13-2t.

SEED CORN FOR SALE—Reid's Im- proved Yellow Dent grown in 1917. Carefully selected, averages 20 rows to the ear. Tests above 90. F. L. Hairgrove. 3-12-tf

FOR SALE—Barred Rock eggs, 60 cents setting of 15. Mrs. Henry Welborn. Bell phone 36-3, Alex- ander exchange. 3-22-1mo

FOR SALE—Chicks, eggs, from all the popular breeds of pure bred poultry. J. C. & A. P Weber, Ill. phone 117. 3-13-1mo

FOR SALE—Fresh cows, extra good ones. F. V. Correa & Co., Man- chester, Ill. 3-21-tf

FOR SALE—Good used cars at bar- gain prices. Jacobs Motor Car company, 312 East State street. Bell 2, Illinois 432. 3-29-tf

FOR SALE—Three sets of songle driv- ing harness and two sets of single wagon harness. Cherry's Livery. 4-4-tf.

OR SALE—One heavy draft horse, one wagon, 2 sets of harness, one cut under surrey, one truck scale, other articles. 818 W. Morton Ave- nue. Bell phone 656. 4-13-6t.

FOR SALE—Seed corn, 4 bushels test- ed improved yellow dent, guaran- teed; also 15 bushels untested left. E. L. Clark, Literberry. Bell phone 50-3. 4-13-3t.

FOR SALE—Good sprouted Red Globe onions for planting, 50 cents per bushel. Good slightly specked ap- ples 50 cents per bushel. Good soft cabbage, 50 cents per bushel, all de- livered. Cannon Produce Co. 3-27-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Five room modern cottage with four acres of ground. Potatoes planted and gar- den growing. Fourth ward; paved street. Immediate possession. See Story's Exchange or H. E. Barrett at 802 N. Diamond before 8 a. m. or after 5 p. m. 4-13-3t.

FOR SALE—Fine stock and grain farm of 215 acres ½ mile east of Con- cord, 160 acres of land practically level, balance roling and in blue grass, well watered, springs and three good wells. Improvements con- sist of seven room house, large horse barn and large cow barn, corn cribs and implements buildings, poultry house. $200 an acre. For further particulars see J. A. Weeks, Arenz- ville, Illinois. 4-14-6t.

MISCELLANEOUS

BOARD AND ROOMS, 221 West La- fayette Ave. 4-2-1mo.

MONEY TO LOAN ALWAYS—The Johnson Agency. 4-1-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on real estate security. M. C. Hook & Co. 3-26-tf

HAVE YOUR ELECTRICAL work done by E. C. Tuman, Illinois phone 911. 4-14-1t.

FOR TRADE—Three hundred twenty acres land in Ransom County, North Dakota. For harness stock and some cash. Conboy & Conboy, Lis- bon, N. Dak. 4-14-1t.

TRUNKS, LEATHER GOODS AND REPAIRING — Harney's Leather Goods Store, 215 West Morgan street. 4-22-tf

HAVE YOUR WALL PAPER Clean- ed work guaranteed. Illinois phone 70-652. Whitwer Brothers. 3-20-tf

CALL WOOD'S for taxi for clubs, parties and trains; baggage trans- fer; auto for country trips. Either phone 174. Office 210 East Court Street. 4-17-tf

SERVICE FLAGS—Silk with embroid- eried stars, $1.75. Flags made to or- der for lodges, schools, etc. We make napkins, etc. Singer Co., 214 South Sandy St., Ill. phone 184. 4-9-tf.

FOR first class service call at Han- back's barber shop, Manchester. 4-9-6t.

KERMATH STANDARD Marine En- gines are best for good boats. 4 Cylinder, 4 Cycle—10 to 25 H. P. Catalog on request. Kermath Mfg. Co., Detroit, Mich. 4-14-1t.

OWNER OF OVERLAND Car, road- ster model, which was left south of Jacksonville some weeks ago, can have same by proving property and paying for having same hauled to this city, if he will call Illinois phone 1498. 4-14-3t.

GENERAL CONTRACTING WORK —The undersigned with complete equipment, teams and wagons, is ready to undertake all classes of work by the day or contract, haul- ing, excavating, farm plowing, wrecking, moving, etc., all general contracting work. George Nunes, (son of William Nunes, Contract- or), Ill. phone 70-510. Headquarters, Batz Cafe. 3-28-1mo

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES—State of Illinois. Department of Public of Illinois. Department of Public Purchases and Supplies. Springfield, April 1, 1918. Sealed proposals for eggs, poultry, fish, fresh fruits, green vegetables, (excepting matur- ed potatoes and onions), straw, hay, corn and oats for supplying the Jacksonville State Hospital, Ill. School for the Blind and Illinois School for the Deaf, Jacksonville, will be received until twelve o'clock (noon) the first day of each month at the business office of the above named institutions from the date of this advertisement. Full informa- tion and bidding blanks will be fur- nished upon application to the Man- aging Officer of the above named institutions. Department of Public Works and Buildings, Thomas G. Vennum, Director. Division of Pur- chases and Supplies, H. H. Kohn, Superintendent.

LOST and FOUND

LOST—Nickel plated clevis with steel pin and brass lock. Return to Jour- nal. Reward. 4-10-tf.

FOUND—Rosary Beads. Owner may have same by calling at Journal of- fice. 4-13-3t.

TAKEN UP—Two red steers. Owner can have same by paying for feed and advertising. Ollie Burnett, Franklin, Ill., R. No. 2. 4-13-3t.

LOST—$30 or more between Court House and end of South Main. Re- turn to Journal office and receive reward. 4-14-2t.

TAKEN UP—Stray hog. Owner can have same by paying for feed and advertisement. Bell phone 975-11. 4-14-3t.

WILL THE LADY who took the package from The Butterick Shop Saturday night please return it. 4-14-1t.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

RATES FOR POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The charges for announcements of candidacies for county offices will be published in the Journal at the fol- lowing rates:
Advertisements beginning in March and continuing until time of the pri- maries, $15.
April, $15.
May, $12.50.
June, $12.50.
July, $10.
August, $8.
Announcements inserted after Au- gust 31 will be at the rate of 10c per line per issue.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself as a can- didate for sheriff on the Democratic ticket, subject to the decision of the primaries to be held Wednesday, September 11, 1918.
W. H. Weatherford.

I hereby announce myself as a can- didate for the Republican nomination for sheriff, subject to the primary election.
George L. Stice.

I hereby announce myself as a can- for sheriff on the Republican ticket, subject to the decision at the pri- maries, September 11, 1918.
Henry G. Strawn.

I hereby announce myself as a can- didate for the Republican nomination for sheriff, subject to the primary election.
V. R. Riley.

I hereby announce myself as a can- didate for the Republican nomination for sheriff, subject to the Primary election. Your vote will be appreciat- ed.
Geo. N. Woods.

FOR ASSESSOR AND TREASURER.

I hereby announce myself for the office of assessor and treasurer, sub- ject to the decision of the Republicans of Morgan county at the primary election, Sept. 11, 1918.
Grant Graff.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the Republican nomination for Assessor and Treasurer, subject to the decision of voters at the primary election.
Charles S. Black.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

I hereby announce myself as a can- didate for the Republican nomination for county judge, subject to the pri- mary election.
W. L. Armstrong.

TREES For The HOME

Strawberries and everything else grown in a first class nursery.
Write for Prices. Good Stock. Agent Wanted.
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Lot 78x310 ft. Large barn. Ample room on Webster for two bungalows.
Inquire of MARY H. CLEARY, 1325 W. College Ave., Ill. phone 931; or F. H. BODE, either phone. 24.

COLLEGE OF MUSIC

Miss Lazelle has been assigned by the Pageant Choral of St. Louis as soloist at their program on Sunday, April 14. Miss Lazelle will sing a group of two Spanish and two English songs and with the chorus will do "At the Cloister Gate" by Greig and part of the "Stabat Mater" by Rossini.
Miss Ring and Mr. Jessen will repeat their program of composi- tions for two pianos on Sundey af- ternoon at the chapel service at the Illinois State School for the Blind by special request.
Miss Jessie Wall and Miss Ger- trude Onken furnished numbers for the Missionary Tea at the home of Mrs. C. E. Williamson, on Thursday afternoon, April 11th.
Miss Margaret Scrimger sang at the Point church at a social on Friday evening, April 12th.
Owing to the open meeting of the American Guild of Organists, the regular Thursday recital in the College of Music was postpon- ed.
The last of Mr. Stearns" Ves- per Organ Recitals, with French composers as its subject, was giv- en last Sunday afternoon before a large and appreciative audience. Mr. Stearns will continue his Ves- per Organ Recitals next year on the first Sunday of each month as has been his custom this year.

Charles Fox and Clyde Rudisill of Arcadia were transacting busi- ness with Jacksonville merchants Saturday.

MISCELLANEOUS

LIBERAL RECEIPTS CAUSE SHARP BREAKS

CHICAGO, April 13.—Prospects of liberal receipts and of greater pres- sure from hedging sales brought about sharp breaks today in the val- ue of corn. Prices closed nervous, ⅜ to 3¾¢ net lower with May $1.27 and July $1.50⅝ to $1.50½.
Oats underwent a setback of ⅞¢ to 1⅝@1¾¢ net. The outcome in provis- ions was unchanged to 17¢ down.
Liquidation, short selling and lack of demand were evident factors in the corn market thruout the day and seemed to be checked but little if any by the usual week-end adjustment of trades. The quality of receipts continued good. Moreover fresh re- ports of corn being consigned to Chi- cago from other terminal markets add- ed to the pressure on the bulls. Un- der such circumstances, the down- ward course of prices was virtually uninterrupted and the lowest prices of the session were touched just be- fore the close.
Oats gave way with corn.
Assertions that the semi-monthly report on warehouse stocks would show a good sized increase weakened provisions. Higher quotations on on hogs were ignored.

(Furnished by James E. Bennett Co.) 333 West State St., Huntoon Bldg.

	Open	High	Low	Close
CORN—				
May	$1.27⅛	$1.27¼	$1.27	$1.27
July	1.53¼	1.53⅜	1.50½	1.50½
ATS—				
May	$ .85¼	$ .85¼	$ .83⅜	$ .84⅛
PORK—				
May	$47.70	$47.85	$47.50	$47.85
LARD—				
May	$25.67	$25.67	$25.55	$25.62
RIBS—				
May	$24.17	$24.17	$24.05	$24.05

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET
Chicago, April 13.—Corn—No. 3 mixed $1.55; No. 4 mixed $1.50; No. 5 mixed $1.35; No. 5 yellow $1.35@$1.40; No. 6 yellow $1.20@$1.35. No. 5 white $1.25@ $1.45; No. 6 white $1.20@$1.30; sample grade 85@$1.25.
Oats—No. 2 mixed 87@87¾¢; No. 4 mixed 86¢. No. 2 white 90¼@90⅝¢; No. 3 white 89½@90¢; No. 4 white 89¢; standard 89¾@90¼¢.
Timothy, $5.00@$8.00.
Clover, $20.00@31.00.
Barley Malting $1.50@$1.78.
Feed—$1.40@$1.65.

HOME MARKETS.
GROCERS PAY

Turnips, per bushel	$ .50
Potatoes, per bushel	1.00
Onions, per bushel	1.25
Spring chickens, per pound	.25
Butter, per pound	.45
Eggs, per dozen	.33
Lard, per pound	.28

COMMISSION MEN PAY

Cocks, per pound	.14
Springs, per pound	.24
Stags, per pound	.18
Ducks, per pound	.15
Geese, per pound	.15
Guineas, each	.25
Eggs, fresh, per dozen	.28
Beef hides, per pound	.10
Packing stock butter, per pound	.28
The Jacksonville Creamery Co., is paying 46¢ for butter fat.	

HAY AND GRAIN—RETAIL

Timothy hay, per bale	$ 1.25
Alfalfa hay, per ton	30.00
Clover hay, per bale	1.10
Clover hay, per ton	27.00
Oats straw, per bale	.60
Oats, per bushel	.95
Bran, per cwt	2.40
Cracked Corn, per cwt	3.15
Coarse meal, per cwt	3.75
Middlings, per cwt	2.85
Scratch feed, per cwt	4.00
Corn, per bushel	1.60

MINE SWEEPER ASHORE

Washington, April 12.—The navy department announced to- night that a mine sweeper went ashore in the storm off the At- lantic coast and that one member of the crew, J. N. Conway, ma- cinist's mate, second class, was washed overboard.
Other vessels have gone to the mine sweeper's assistance.

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STOCKS EXPERIENCE ANOTHER REVERSAL

NEW YORK, April 13.—Stocks ex- perienced another moderate reversal during the early part of today's short session, the war bulletins precipitat- ing further liquidation. Equipments and a few standard industrials and rails yielded all the way from large fractions to 1½ points but rallies just before the close effaced these losses to a considerable extent. Binds were irregular, some of the foreign issues again hardening, while domestic rails and industrials were mixed. Steadi- ness marked the smaller dealings in liberty issues. Total sales (par value) aggregated $2,475,000. Old U. S. bonds ranged from ¼ to ½ per cent higher on call during the week.
The bank statement reflected the enormous shifting of funds, incident- al to the new liberty loan, actual loans expanding by almost $168,000,000 reserves of members in the local fed- eral bank meanwhile showing an in- crease of $22,500,000.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST
(Last Sale)

American Beet Sugar	72
American Can	46½
American Smelting and Refining	75¼
Anaconda Copper	63⅛
Atchison	82⅜
Baldwin Locomotive	73¾
Baltimore and Ohio	51½
Bethlehem Steel	76¼
Canadian Pacific	136¼
Central Leather	64
Chesapeake and Ohio	54⅜
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	38½
Corn Products	36⅝
Crucible Steel	67
Cuba Cane Sugar	27⅝
Erie	14½
General Motors	119
Great Northern Pfd.	88
Int. Mer. Marine	24⅜
Int. Mer. Marine Pfd.	92
Kennecott Copper	30⅝
Maxwell Motor Co.	26½
New York Central	68
Northern Pacific	83
Ohio Cities Gas	36⅛
Pennsylvania	43¾
Reading	78½
Southern Pacific	82½
Southern Railway	21¾
Studebaker Co.	38⅜
Union Pocific	118
United States Steel	89½
Willys-Overland	17¾
Sinclair Oil	26

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET
Chicago, April 13.—Hogs advanced in price today on account of the pens being cleared of all but fresh arrivals Most of the cattle and sheep that came in were consigned direct to kill- ers.
Hogs—Receipts 17,000; Monday 55,- 000; market strong, 15@20¢ above yes- terday's average; bulk $17.50@$17.90; light $17.35@$18.00; mixed $17.25@$17.95; heavy $16.40@$17.85; rough $16.40@$16.85; pigs $13.00@$17.00.
Cattle—Receipts 2,000; Monday 26,- 000; native steers $10.60@$16.40; stock- ers and feeders $8.70@$12.50; cows and heifers $7.35@$13.50; calves $10.00@ $15.00.
Sheep—Receipts 2,000. Monday 15,- 000; market steady; sheep $13.00@$17.85; lambs $16.60@$21.00.

INDIANAPOLIS STOCK MARKET
Indianapolis, April 13.—Hogs—Re- ceipts 2,000; strong; bulk $18.15@$18.25; light $18.25@$18.35; heavy $17.95@$18.00; pigs $18.40.
Cattle—Receipts 200; steady.

OMAHA LIVESTOCK MARKET
Omaha, April 13.—Hogs—Receipts 12,000; higher; heavy $16.90@16.25; mixed $17.00@17.25; light $17.00@17.40; pigs $10.00@15.00; bulk $17.00@17.25.
Cattle—Receipts 1,500; steady; steers $12.00@$16.25, cows and heifers $9.00@ $13.25. calves $9.00@$13.00.
Sheep—Receipts 700; steady; year- lings $15.50@$19.00; wethers $14.50@ $17.00; ewes $14.00@$15.25; lambs $19.80 @$20.80.

ST. JOSEPH LIVESTOCK MARKET
St. Joseph, April 13.—Hogs—Re- ceipts 3,500; steady; top $17.55; bulk $17.30@$17.50.
Sheep—Receipts none; steady; lambs $18.00@$21.00; ewes $10.00@$16.25.

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK MARKET
St. Louis, April 13.—Hogs—Receipts 4,000; steady; light $17.00@$17.80; pigs $14.50@17.25; mixed $17.35@$17.70; heavy $17.00@$17.35, bulk $17.25@$17.65.
Cattle—Receipts 500, steady; steers $9.75@$15.50; heifers $7.00@$13.50; cows $6.00@$12.00; calves $7.75@$15.75.
Sheep—Receipts 300; steady; lambs $14.50@$20.25; ewes $12.00@$15.00; weth- ers $13.00@$14.00.

KANSAS CITY STOCK MARKET
Kansas City, April 13.—Hogs—Re- ceipts 1,000; higher; bulk $17.30@$17.60; heavy $17.30@$17.50; light $17.35@$17.65; ulgs $13.50@$16.50.
Cattle—Receipts 200; steady; steers $12.00@$16.30; cows $7.75@$13.00, heifers $8.75@$14.00; calves $8.00@$13.50.
Sheep—Receipts none steady; lambs $20.00@$20.80; yearlings $16.00@$17.50; wethers $15.00@$16.50; ewes $14.00@$15.00.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET
New York, April 13.—Mercantile pa- per 4 and 6 manths 6.
Bar silver 92⅝.
Mexican dollars 75.

TOLEDO CASH SEED MARKET
Toledo, April 13.—Clover seed, prime cash $18.00; October $14.00.
Alsike, prime cash $15.25.
Timothy, prime cash old $3.60; new and April $3.62½; September $4.15; Oc- tober $3.95.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET
Minneapolis, April 13.—Corn—No. 3 yellow $1.56@$1.65.
Oats—No. 3 white 86½@87½¢.
Flax—$4.09½@$4.11½.

PEORIA CASH GRAIN MARKET
Peoria, Ill., April 13.—Corn—5@3¢ lower; No. 6 white $1.25; No. 3 yellow $1.50; No. 4 yellow and No. 5 yellow $1.30; No. 6 yellow $1.25. No. 3 mixed $1.45; No. 6 mixed $1.25; sample 71@ $1.25.
Oats—1¼@2¼¢ lower. No. 2 white 90¢; standard 89¾@90¢; No. 3 white 89½¢.

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN MARKET
St. Louis, April 13.—Corn—1@3¢ low- er; supply and demand limited; No. 2 $1.65½@$1.66; No. 3 $1.60; No. 4 ..1.50; No. 3

COMMISSION FORM OF GOVERNMENT.

(By W. N. Hairgrove.)

Under the Aldermanic form of Government as it existed here in Jacksonville, the Mayor was required to have his office in the City Hall, and devote his whole time, except on Sundays, to the administration of City affairs; he was required to be in his office from nine until twelve, except on Sundays, or when his time was otherwise taken in City work. He was also required to give bond for the faithful performance of his duties in the sum of $3000.00. His salary was $1200.00 per year, payable in monthly installments of $100.00 each.

Under the Commission form of Government, the Mayor receives $2000.00 per year; he is not required to be at the City Hall except once a week. He has all the time he wishes to take care of his own private business. He puts in less than one sixth of the time the Mayor was required to put in under the Aldermanic form of Government, for the City, so his salary should be one sixth of what the Mayor received under the Aldermanic form.

It is peculiar that the Mayor, under the Commission form, should receive a higher compensation, when he gives less time, than did the Mayor under the Aldermanic form; also the Mayor is not required, under the Commission form, to give bond. The idea of having the Mayor or any of the City employes give bond, makes one almost guilty of "les majeste." They practically owe no duty to the people: they are elected to run the City, and they certainly do it.

Take for instance the case I have in mind; some petitions were lately circulated and filed, bearing the signature of from 800 to 1000 representative citizens. It was a protest against certain taxes that they felt were excessive, also asking the peoples' decision on a reduction of the salaries of the Mayor and the Commissioners. Did it receive any consideration? It was simply "placed on file," and no remarks made at all. There was no one there to say anything for the public, no one represented the people, and the people really had no chance to be heard.

There is another petition being circulated for a change back to the Aldermanic form of Government; and I hear it said by prominent citizens that even this, when filed, will be treated as the other petitions were.

The people are bound and gagged, and treated with contempt. The idea of a petition, bearing the names of about 1000 signers being filed and then no consideration being given to it. The people have no voice or consideration in this obligarchy.

I have expected to see some of the members of the administration because of the slight work done, refund a part, at least, of the salary. I have seen no Commissioners, up to date, refund any salary, tho any one of them could afford to, and certainly not feel it, when we consider the time he has given to the City work. I understand that there is but one of the five Commissioners that is putting in his time at work for the City; of course he is a disgrace to the rest of the Commissioners, because of the work he does.

The Commission form of Government is obligarchic, expensive, extravagant, and is not adapted to a Democratic form of Government. The cry of the world today is "make the world safe for Democracy," but it should be locally, "make Democracy safe for the world." This Commission form of Government is not representative, and has no regard for the rights of the people.

Paints, chamois, sponges, step ladders, mops, pails, scrub brushes; everything for house cleaning at Brady Bros. Call or phone your order.

WOMAN'S COLLEGE NOTES

The Wesley Mathers contest in expression last Monday evening was well attended, and all the seven contestants showed fine training. The first prize was secured by Beulah McMurphy of Jacksonville, and the second by Lula Prettyman of Havana. Honorable mention was made of Lorene Smith of Greenfield, Illinois.

The service Thursday evening by the Illinois Chapter of the American Guild of Organists was most beautiful and of a very high grade of musical merit. The college is highly honored by the presence and interest of such guests.

There is intense student interest in athletics these days. The basket ball game last Saturday night by the faculty teams was worth many times the price of admission. The receipts will secure a fine banner to be awarded hereafter to winning teams. The game Tuesday afternoon between the Senior, Junior and the Sophomore teams was well contested and was won by the Sophomores only after a hard fight.

Progress is being made towards the May-day festivities, which promise to be of unusual interest this year. The program includes the songs and folk dances of the Allied Nations, and will be another expression of the war interest of the College.

The French club under the direction of Mrs. Moellering will give a stunt in the social room Saturday evening.

Elections are now in progress for officers of the several student organizations for the coming year. The candidates for Student Association president are Lois Carpenter of Kewanee and Helen Irwin of Chicago. The candidates for president of the Young Woman's Christian Association are Esther Hetherlin of Louisiana, Mo., and Marian Sipfle of Pekin. After these will come the election of Editor of the Greetings, President of the Athletic Association, and then the presidents of the several college societies.

The classes organized some time ago for the study of special world conditions and Christion Internationalism meet every Tuesday evening, and are proving interesting and profitable.

The Chicago Society of the Woman's College is holding its spring meeting today with a banquet at the Morrison Hotel. Miss Johnston of the faculty represents the College. The society has a large membership and the monthly fellowship meetings on the last Saturday of each month at Marshal Field's are well attended.

The funeral of Miss Lida Akers last Wednesday recalls old College memories. Her mother was Susan Elizabeth Clampit, who was a student under the first president, Dr. Jaquess; and at one time Mrs. Akers with Miss Lida and her brother made their home in the College. The Clampits and Akers are honored names in the early history of the College.

MAVERICKS

When you've got a column
That you want to fill
Just dash off a line on how
To get old kaiser Bill.

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Buy another Liberty Bond.

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Not being able to get any of his copy published by the newspapers Mr. Creel got in the limelight last week by making a speech in which he said he was thankful that the United States was unprepared when war was declared.

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J. Ham Lewis down in Washington said the war could only be won by doing things and not by saying them. A lot of people watching the proceedings down in Washington have been that opinion for some time.

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"Oil Head" warns gas shortage says headline in W. G. N. But a lot of "bone heads" who drive cars will not pay any attention to the warning.

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Dispatches tell us that Douglas Fairbanks the popular comedian and screen star and his wife have decided to disagree and live apart. Evidently Mr. Fairbanks' smile which is so likeable on the screen does not prevail in his home life.

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After eliminating the baseball and shooting grounds the park board should abolish dancing and turn over the large pavilion for a golf club house.

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Things got rather quiet on the European battle front the first of last week and to relieve monotony Villa stepped into the the monotony by threatening to attack a Mexican border garrison.

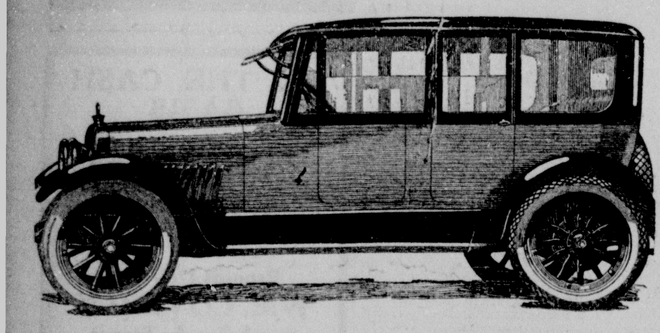
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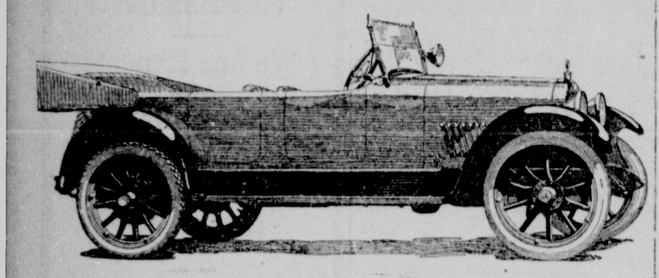
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